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IN MEMORIAM.

MORRISON—In ever-loving memory of Lieutenant-Colonel R. Hobart Morrison, 18th Royal Hussars died on 3rd February, 1929, very dearly-loved husband of Louise Caroline Hobart Morrison, Batticline, Molesey, Hampton Court.

BIRTHS.

FLAVELLE—January 31, 1932, to Major and Mrs. H. E. Flavelle, Upton Croft, Chester, a daughter.

HAYWARD—January 28, 1932, at Benmore Nursing Home, Kingstown, to Olga, wife of Flying Officer F. B. H. Hayward, R.A.F., a daughter.

McCORMICK—January 31, 1932, at 89 Lower Baggot street, to Eva and Gordon McCormick, The Abbey, Collooney, County Sligo, a daughter.

PETRIE—January 10, 1932, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Petrie, Rosserk House, Ballina, a son.

POWELL—January 29, 1932, at Mount College, Congleton, Cheshire, to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Powell, a son.

THORPE—February 1, 1932, to Dorothy (née Beckett), wife of Clarence Thorpe, Wesleyan Mission, Hatton, Ceylon, a daughter.

DEATHS.

BOYD—February 1, 1932, at his residence, avenna, Bray, Walter, dearly-loved husband of Louie Boyd, and second son of the late Samuel Boyd, Ilerton, Killiney. Funeral private.

BURNS—February 1 1932, at Drinagh, Mountmellick, Henry Burns, in his 72nd year. Deeply regretted. Funeral at 2 o'clock to-day (Wednesday) to Rosenallis

CLARKE—February 1, 1932, at Rosina, Rostrevor, Margaret (Myn), eldest daughter of the late Francis Clarke, M.B., T.C.D., F.R.C.S.I. Funeral to Knotty Ash Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday), 4th February, at 2 p.m.

COLFER—February 1, 1932, Very Rev. Richard Colfer, O.Carm. Requiem Office and Mass at the Carmelite Church, Whitefriar street, this (Wednesday) morning at 11 o'clock.

DAUNT—February 2, 1932 at her residence, illard, Greystones, Sarah Gertrude Daunt, widow of the late Rev. E. S. Daunt. "I am the Resurrection and the Life." John xi. 25. Funeral to Redford Cemetery to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 o'clock.

GICK—February 1, 1932, at Claremont, Glasnevin, Dublin, Charles Hemsley, second son of the late Thomas Gick, Mus.Doc., T.C.D., and fondly-loved husband of Mary T. Gick. "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Funeral to-morrow (Thursday), arriving at Mount Jerome at 10.45 a.m.

GREENE—January 31, 1932, at 4 de Vesci Terrace, Kingstown, suddenly, Arthur Alexander Greene, Barrister-at-Law. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

LOCKHART—February 1, 1932, at her residence, Gilford road, Sandymount, Maria Frances, youngest daughter of the late Gordon Lockhart, atsfort, Merrion. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 9 o'clock to Mount Jerome.

MACNAMARA—February 1, 1932, at his brother's residence, Walnut House, North Strand, Limerick, oseph C. Macnamara, B.A. (late Inspector of Schools). Funeral private.

MITCHELL—January 30, 1932, at the Cottage Hospital, Spilsby, following an operation, the Reverend Percy James Mitchell, L.D., T.C.D., aged years, Rector of Ashby, Spilsby, Lincolnshire, second son of the late Reverend Isaac Mitchell, Rector of Kiltoom, Athlone.

POTTERTON—January 31, 1932, at his residence, Freffans, Laracor, Trim, William Potterton, in his 72nd year. Funeral private.

SCOTT—February 2, 1932, at 92 Meath street, illiam J. Scott, at an advanced age. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing relatives. Funeral private.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. Helena Dunwoody and family, 1 Strand street, Irishtown, wish to return their sincere thanks to the many friends who sent messages of sympathy and floral tributes, which were a great source of comfort to them in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

BLACKHAM—February 3, 1910—In loving memory of my dear mother, Amy Lucy Blackham, late of 145 Tritonville road, Sandymount.

HARLEY—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, Henry Harley (ex-R.I.C.), who died at [illegible] on February 3rd, 1931. Fondly remembered by his sorrowing wife and family.

JOYCE—In loving memory of John J. Joyce, who died in New York on 3rd February, 1920. R.I.P.

NAIRN—In ever-loving memory of our dear mother, Alice Victoria Nairn, who fell asleep on February 3rd, 1926.

WEEKES—In loving memory of our dear father, whom God called Home on 3rd February, 1931, at his residence, Rose House, Ollatrim, Toomevara (late of Ardoyne). Sadly missed by his sorrowing wife and family. "With Christ, which is far better." Inserted by his loving son, Mark.

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Every such Incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same to the Examiner at his Office, Law Courts, Dublin, on the 24th day of February, 1932, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.
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And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 3rd day of March, 1932, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars have been given as aforesaid.
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MONICA M. O'FLANAGAN, late of No. 2 Clarinda Park, West, Dun Laoghaire, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
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And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 22nd day of February, 1932, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars have been given as hereby required.
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FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Manchester—Fat Cattle slow, Sheep and Lambs dearer. Derby—Cattle average supply, quiet trade. Cambridge—Large supply and trade slow. Leeds—Steady trade. Dublin—Butter firmer, Eggs weaker, Poultry dragging sale, Fruit and Ve etables freer sale on small supply, Grain firm, Hay slower, Straw steady. Rubber dull. Tin rising. Copper irregular. Wheat firm.

CATTLE.

CAMBRIDGE.—Beasts 160. Beef: smalls to 10/8, others to 9/- live cwt. Firsts 52/-, seconds 46/-, thirds 40/-. Sheep 490. Mutton: small tegs to 8/-, large to 7/4, shearlings to 5/-. Pigs 1,503. Pork bacons to 7/6, cutters to 9/-, porkers to 9/6. Calves 121. Fat Cattle—A large supply and rates unchanged. Store beasts a small show and trade slow. Fat sheep—Increased supplies, and business rather better. Fat Pigs—Heavy entries to hand, and prices steady at late rates. Store pigs a slow trade.

LEEDS.—On offer 536 beasts at 6d. to 9d.: steady trade. Sheep 2,199 at 9d. to 11d., ewes 5d. to 6d., tups 5d.; steadier trade.

DERBY.—Average supply; trade quiet Heifers 8½d. to 8¾d., heavy 8d., young cows 7d. Sheep sold better, small hoggs 10d. to 11d., wethers 10d., heavy 9d., ewes 6d. Calves fair number; good demand, 1/- to 1/2 per lb. Pigs good show Porkers steady, 13/-; baconers better 12/-, heavy 10/-, sows 7/- per score.

MANCHESTER.—On offer, beasts 948, increase 23; sheep and lambs 4,500, increase 940. Irish entries included 377 fat cattle, 37 more; 32 dairy cows, 13 less; and 17 lambs, decrease 147. Owing, no doubt, to the very foggy conditions, the attendance of buyers was smaller than usual, and supplies also rather light. In fat cattle the demand was mainly for prime light weights, a slow trade being experienced for other descriptions. Sheep and lambs firm and favouring sellers. Best English and Welsh fat cattle quoted around 9½d.; best Irish heifers 9d., bullocks 7½d. to 8½d., good fat young cows up to 6½. sheep 8½d. to 9½d., ewes 6d. to 7d., best lambs 11½d. to 1/-, others 10d. to 11d. per lb. Cows suitable for dairy purposes occasionally dearer £18 to £26 per head.

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GRAIN.

DUBLIN.—Trade continues fair for all choice samples, with values still firm. Other classes, however, are little wanted. There are still small lots of foreign oats on offer, but demand for same is [illegible]. Home-grown white oats, 16/- to 17/6 and [illegible] barrel, according to quality; blacks, 13/6 to [illegible]; Russian whites, 19/- to 20/-; and Canadian feed, 14/- per barrel, ex store.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC.—WHEAT—Cargo market firm, and sellers required [illegible] per qr. advance in view of higher overseas [illegible]. Australians, however, were unchanged. [illegible] Northern Manitoba (Vancouver shipment) [illegible] sellers 29/-; No. 3 ditto, 28/-; Hard Winter [illegible] (Atlantic shipment) afloat, 27/9; New South Wales, February, 26/6; West Australian [illegible] also February and March, 26/9; South [illegible] February, 26/6; Victorian, February, 26/6. [illegible] 6d. per qr dearer for Canadians, and [illegible] 6d. per qr. higher for Plates, but demand [illegible] develop. No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Vancouver shipment), February, sellers 31/9; No. 2 [illegible] 29/-; No. 3, 27/7½; No. 4 Manitoba, February [illegible] 27/1½; No. 5 ditto afloat 26/6; South [illegible]an, shipping/shipped, also February-March, [illegible] West Australian, shipping/shipped, also [illegible]y-March, 26/6 per qr. of 480lb Futures—[illegible] steadier on higher c.i.f offers, but business [illegible]d. Quotations at 1.15 p.m. per qr. of [illegible] Manitoba grade, January 27/- March [illegible]5, May quoted 27/8, July 28/1; London [illegible] February 24/2. June sold 24/10½. MAIZE—[illegible] remained quietly steady. Plate, February [illegible] 7/9, March 18/-, new April 18/3, April-[illegible]9. Parcels fully steady. Plate, afloat [illegible]5/9, February-March sold 17/-. March-[illegible]ers 17/6, April-May sold 17/3, May-June [illegible]7/- per qr. of 480lb. BARLEY fully [illegible] Parcels—No. 3 Canadian Western (Atlantic [illegible]r shipment), February 21/6; Plate (64-[illegible]) February 21/-; ditto (67-68 kilos), [illegible] 21/9; Persian, February 21/6; Russian, [illegible] 22/3 per qr. of 400lb.; Californian, February sellers 39/-; Chilian, February [illegible] qr. of 448lb. OATS maintained. Plate, [illegible] March, also March-April, sellers 13/10½; Canadian Western, 15th February, 20/9; [illegible]to, 19/4½; No. 1 Canadian feed, 15th [illegible] 17/- per qr. of 320lb.

LIVERPOOL.—With better American and Argentine [illegible] than expected, forward deliveries of [illegible] showed a moderate improvement at the [illegible] soon gave way to slightly below previous [illegible] on freer sellers; then again improved [illegible] Monday's final rates, though afternoon cables brought about a decline, prices finishing over worst point, though marking depreciation from previous night. C.i.f. Rosario-Santa Fe (64lb.) May sold at [illegible] Liverpool, and No. 3 Manitoba (Vancouver) at 28/1½ to Manchester. C.i.f parcels [illegible] maize February sold at 17/4½ to [illegible]quarter. WHEAT on the spot firm and [illegible]and, especially for River Plate. MAIZE [illegible] is quiet at 3/11 per cental for River [illegible] FLOUR 1/- dearer. Straightrun now 23/-[illegible] mills. Graded wheat futures opened [illegible] per cental dearer, and gave way until [illegible] below previous night was registered; [illegible] decline, but fluctuated fairly, in [illegible] 1d. to ¼d. over worst point, though [illegible] under Monday's close. Values—[illegible] May 5/4½, July 5/6⅞ per cental.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental continues to [illegible] into consumption, but, with liberal [illegible]ot and in prospective, sellers in some [illegible] slightly from the official, in order [illegible]rance. Irish American and Canadian [illegible] at late rates; American back, 73/- to [illegible] HAMS still scarce and firmly held, [illegible] enquiry for American short cut at full [illegible]ers nominal in the absence of offer-[illegible] the spot 9d. dearer for prime steam [illegible]9, but American refined held for 2/3 [illegible] quoted 46/- to 48/- per cwt., the [illegible] a fair demand. CHEESE firm, with [illegible] at late prices. BUTTER also firm and [illegible] 1/- advance; Danish now 127/- to [illegible]aland, 104/- to 108/-; Australian, [illegible] and Swedish, 117/- to 121/- per [illegible]iet and easier at 14/3 to 14/6 for [illegible]ish hen, 14/- to 14/3 for selected, [illegible] and 14/6 to 14/9 for duck.

MANCHESTER. — The imposition of import [illegible] commodities is affecting the general [illegible]rtain extent. BUTTER—The shipments [illegible] and Swedish, not including Gothen-[illegible] ports for the week ended January [illegible]5 casks, an increase of 773 casks. [illegible] all descriptions. Choicest qualities [illegible] 25/- to 127/-, special dairies extra; [illegible] 116/-; Finnish, 116/- to 117/-; [illegible]/- to 106/-; Australian, 104/- to [illegible] shipments of Danish and Swedish, [illegible] increase of 3,103 bales. Both [illegible]ntal cures generally quietly steady. [illegible]anish, 45/- to 49/-; Swedish, 40/-; [illegible] LARD steadier, with a rather [illegible] English refined, 52/-, boxes, ex-[illegible] 46/6 to 47/-, according to brand. [illegible] Cheshire quieter, but little or no [illegible]ce; fodder makes easier, 1/1 to [illegible]al firm; Canadian dearer, 70/- to [illegible]w Zealand very small and prices [illegible] shipments of Danish and Swedish [illegible]crease of 33 cases. Market firm [illegible] Irish Free State, extra selected [illegible] mediums 13/-, ducks 15/6; [illegible]thern Ireland, nominal; Danish, [illegible]gian, 16lb. 12/9, 15lb. 12/6, [illegible] 18lb. 13/3, 17lb. 13/-, 16lb. [illegible]4lb. 10/9; Dutch, 9/9 to 13/-; [illegible] Egyptians, 5/6.

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Trade in the foreign department showed slight improvement without any change in values. Supplies plentiful, with Cape peaches now offering at 6/- to 7/- tray, do. plums 5/- to 6/-; apples—Albemarle 45/- to 50/- barrel, Yorks 28/- to 34/-, Russets 42/-, Ben Davis 25/- to 30/-, Winesaps 15/- to 17/- box, Newtowns 16/- to 19/-, English 16/- bushel; oranges—Valentias 10/- to 15/- case, Jaffs 15/- to 17/- box; lemons 18/- to 27/- case, box 14/- to 16/-; grape fruit 20/- to 30/- case, grapes—black Belgium 2/6 to 2/9 lb., Almeria 25/- to 30/- barrel, Californian 28/- to 30/- box, pineapples 2/6 to 4/6 each, pears—Anjou 27/- box, Nelis 20/-; French beans 4/- lb., Canary tomatoes 5/- to 7/6 box, Tunis dates 8/6 dozen, English rhubarb 2/4 to 2/6 dozen, bananas—Canary 18/- to 24/- crate, Jamaica 12/- box, onions—Spanish 17/6 case, Dutch 15/- bag, and Dutch carrots 6/- bag.

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DUBLIN POTATO.—Trade continues very quiet notwithstanding the lower prices ruling. Supplies still far in excess of all requirements at 9/6 per cwt., best qualities.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—A fair supply of all classes came on this market. Trade generally quiet, except for good class turkeys. Rabbits were much easier in values owing to very mild weather. Other classes show little change at the following:—Chickens, 10d. to 11d. lb.; turkeys, cocks, 1/- to 1/3; hens, 1/2 to 1/4; inferior less; rabbits, 10d. to 1/- each; hens, large fat, 2/- to 2/6; others, 1/- to 1/6; ducklings, fatted, 3/- to 3/6; others, 1/- to 2/-; pheasants, cocks, 3/6 to 4/-; hens, 3/- to 3/6; hares, 2/-; widgeon, 10d.; teal, 8d.; wild duck, 1/6 to 2/-; snipe, 6d.; plover, golden, 8d.; green, 4d.; and woodcock, 1/- to 1/3.

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Irish creams not so plentiful, cold stored stocks having being heavily drawn upon for the past few weeks. Market is showing a firmer tendency and more confidence on the part of buyers. London sellers of Colonial butter are holding for higher prices, demand here for same, however, continues quiet, with present stocks of Irish creams ample for local trade at last day's prices. A few lots of farmers' butter on offer, which easily cleared. Factory arrivals in poor demand. Irish creams 56lb. 1/4 per lb., 28lb. 1/4½. Australian 1/3½, factory 11½d. to 1/1½, and farmers' 8½d. to 10½d., according to quality. Recent high prices for eggs across Channel has diverted a lot of supplies from Dublin. Demand yonder has eased somewhat and arrivals here are expected to increase. As usual at this season, there is a feeling of uncertainty about values, and the keen selling competition in Dublin continues as will be seen by the following:—Extra heavy and ordinary selected 11/- to 14/-, while some mediums are quoted at 11/9 to 12/3. Ducks, selected 13/- to 14/6 and smalls 12/- per 120.

CORK BUTTER.—The market continues quiet; prices steady; creameries 145/- per cwt.

DUBLIN FISH.—All classes in fairly good supply except mackerel and conger eels. Sales were well supported, and ready clearance made of the following:—118 boxes from one steam trawler, 12 chests lobster, 50 boxes herrings and a good supply from country and local senders. Prices:—Lobsters, 15/- to 20/- per 13 large; medium, 10/- to 12/6; small, 5/- to 7/6; soles, 20/- to 30/- per 9 pairs large; medium, 10/- to 12/6; slips, 2/- to 5/-; turbot, small and large, 6d. to 12/6 each; brill, 6d. to 4/-; herrings, 6/- to 16/- box; plaice, small and large, 15/- to 75/- half box; cod, 17/6 to 60/-; whiting, 15/- to 50/-; ling, 12/6 to 15/-; ray, 10/- to 25/-; hake, 20/- to 25/-; haddock, 15/- to 30/-; pollock, 15/- to 20/-; gurnard, 5/- to 8/-; and white soles, 20/- to 40/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Soles, 12d. to 18d.; slips, 10d. to 12d.; lobsters, 18d. to 30d. per lb.; live eels, 14/- to 28/-; dead, 12/- to 24/- per draught; turbot, 8/- to 10/-; brill, 7/- to 9/-; plaice, 8/- to 11/-; halibut, 14/- to 16/-; lemon soles, 8/- to 11/-; hake, 11/- to 13/-; mackerel, 3/-; skate wings, 4/- to 5/-; haddocks, 2/- to 6/- per stone.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Home-killed beef: Sides 7d. to 8d., Scotch lambs 10½d., Irish 9d., ewes 5d. to 6d., pigs 7½d. to 9d. Chilled beef: hindquarters 3½d. to 5½d., forequarters 3d. to 3½d., frozen hindquarters 2¾d. to 3½d., crops 2½d to 2½d mutton wethers 3½d. to 4d., lambs 4½d. to 6½d Pigs: New Zealand and Australian 5½d. to 6½d.

MANCHESTER POULTRY.—Dead poultry in moderate supply and demand. Season for pheasants practically finished. Irish and English chickens, 1/- to 1/2, fowls 6d. to 8d., ducks 10d to 1/-, Irish turkeys 1/- to 1/3, geese 5d. to 7d. per lb., pheasants 5/ to 7/6 per brace, best trapped rabbits 1/6 to 2/6 per couple.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—Spot market continues quiet, but no change was made in quotations. Raw refining kinds sparingly offered, and fully steady. Terminal section March sold 6/9¼, May 6/11¼, August 7/1½ to 7/1¼ and 7/1½, December 7/4½ to 7/4½ per cwt. COFFEE—A steady demand prevailed for the finest grades, but otherwise the market ruled quiet. COCOA—Spot unaltered; forward positions steadily held. Accra F/F February-April quoted 21/- f.o.b. terms. Terminal inactive; March 25/3 per cwt. RUBBER market dull and featureless. Sheet spot, also February, sold 2½d. to 2½d.; March 2½d., April-June 3d., July-September 3½d., October-December 3½d. per lb. JUTE market weaker on a slow demand and some selling pressure. Firsts to Continent January-February sellers £18 15., February-March sold £18 18/9, March-April sellers £19 5/-, lightnings January-February sold £17 15/-, hearts February-March sellers £16 5/-, Daisee ditto £16 10/-, and Tossa January-February sold £17 17/6 c.i.f. SHELLAC steady, fair; T.N. spot 71/-, March sellers 66/-, May sold 67/-, August 70/-, for shipment February-March sellers 62/6 c.i.f. TEA—Ceylon sales amounted to 28,903 packages. A slow demand ensued at lower prices, except for best grades. Pekoe sold 7d. to 1/11, broken 7½d. to 1/5½; orange ditto 9½d. to 1/7½, broken orange 9½d. to 2/-; fannings 7½d. to 2/1 per lb OILS—Linseed dull; spot sellers 16/9, February 14/4½, February-April 14/7½, May-August 15/10½, September-December 17/-. Rape steady; crude spot 30/6, refined 32/6. Cotton firm; crude Egyptian spot 20/-, common edible 23/-, deodorised 25/-. Coconut firm; Ceylon spot drums 27/-, forward nominal. Turpentine quiet; American spot 52/-, February-April 52/9 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed market inactive, and prices barely steady following weak Argentine opening cables. Calcutta to London February-March nominally £11 7/6, Plate to Hull February-March, also March-April, £8 12/6, April-May £8 15/-, May-June £8 17/6. Rapeseed quiet; Toria to Hull/Continent February-March £11 15/-, March-April £11 17/6. Cottonseed steady; Egyptian black to Hull February, also March, £6 11/3; April £6 12/6, with white sorts at 5/- per ton less, respectively. Groundnuts dearer, and reservedly offered. Coromandel machined February £15 10/-, March £15 12/6, April £15 16/3, May £15 18/9, June £16 3/9, July £16 6/3. Soya Beans maintained; Manchurian afloat £7 11/3, February £7 10/-, March £7 8/9 per ton. TALLOW—Public sales remain in abeyance. The private market continued steady on the spot during the past week, with a fair amount of business passing for shipment at hardening rates. Quotations—Mutton, fair to fine 22/6 to 25/-, beef ditto 21/- to 26/-, mixed fair to good 21/- to 24/6 per cwt. Arrivals during the week, 2,003 casks.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Business opened here with a fairly large supply of poor quality hay. Trade generally was slower, and sellers found it difficult to repeat last day's prices for the sprinkling of choice loads on offer. Other classes, being little wanted, were offered at almost any price to clear, but notwithstanding this, few buyers came forward at the bargain prices ruling, and quite a large number of loads were on hands at 12 o'clock, when the following prices were mentioned:—Choice 1st crop, 3/9 to 4/- cwt., extra 4/3, with an occasional 4/4 and 4/6 for a few loads. Old meadow, general run, 2/3 to 2/9; inferior classes practically unsaleable. Straw supply fairly good, for which a steady trade was experienced, and early clearance made without any material change in values. Oaten, 2/3 to 3/-, and wheaten 3/- to 3/6 per cwt., both according to quality.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN RISING—COPPER IRREGULAR.

TIN—Eastern advices were again firmer, and here the upward movement made further progress on reserved offers, though offerings were only moderately absorbed. On balance, official quotations marked an advance of 22/6 per ton, both cash and forward. Standard cash quoted £140 17/6 to £141, three months £143 10/- to £143 12/6, settlement price £141. Sales amounted to 525 tons; cash at £140 15/- to £141 5/-, three months £142 15/- to £143 15/- and £143 10/-. English ingots quoted £142 10/- to £144 10/-. In the East 75 tons reported sold, on the basis of £145 10/- c.i.f. COPPER continued in fairly good support, and with sellers less in evidence a firmer market resulted, with cash officially 11/3 per ton up, and forward 7/6 to 8/9 dearer. On balance, standard cash quoted £38 3/9 to £38 5/-, three months £38 1/3 to £38 2/6, settlement price £38 5/-. 800 tons changed hands, three months at £37 15/-, £37 12/6, £38 2/6, and £38 1/3; electros quoted £43 10/- to £44 10/-, wire bars £44 10/-, best selected £40 10/- to £41 15/-, strong sheets £74. LEAD—Market quiet, but tone firmer on lighter offerings. 250 tons sold; soft foreign pig, February £14 12/6, May £14 15/-, settlement price £14 12/6. English quoted £16. SPELTER also firmer in sympathy with other metals, but sales moderate. 400 tons sold; February at £14 3/9 to £14 5/, May £14 12/6 to £14 11/3, settlement price £14 2/6. ALUMINIUM, QUICKSILVER and TIN PLATES unaltered. SECOND SESSION—Tin quieter; 175 tons sold; cash £140 7/6, three months £143 10/- to £142 15/-. Copper irregular; 1,000 tons sold; cash quoted £37 13/9, three months sold £38 5/-, £38 10/-, £37 10/-, £37 12/6. Lead quiet; 100 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, March £14 12/6, May £14 15/-. Spelter—250 tons sold; February £14 2/6, May £14 11/3.

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POLITICAL "BREEZE" AT HEALTH BOARD

OVER WATER PUMPS AT SWORDS.

A political "breeze" stirred the meeting of County Dublin Board of Health yesterday arising out of a discussion on the need for a public water pump at Roganstown, Swords.

Mr. Shiel objected to a pump being erected for every four houses on the score of expense. He agreed that some facilities should be provided.

When one of the members remarked that the expense could be met when they got derating,

Mr. P. Belton said that they could have had derating for the next thirty years but for the amount of money which "the Spaniard" sent up in smoke.

Mr. Clare—More than "the Spaniard" sent up money in smoke.

Mr. Belton—He started it.

The matter was postponed pending a report from the Medical Officer of Health.

Ten tenders, varying from £20,430 to £35,456, were submitted for the Skerries sewerage scheme, for which a loan of £25,000 has been sanctioned by the Department of Local Government and Public Health, and the tenders were referred to the engineer.

Dr. J. H. Harbinson, Medical Officer of Health, referring to outbreaks of diphtheria in the county, urged the adoption of immunisation. The cost of immunising 120 children would be lower than the cost of sending one patient to hospital.

The sanitary conditions of Dundrum were described by Dr. Harbinson as abominable, and the only thing they could do to remedy that state of affairs was to take urban powers for the area.

THE LATE MR. JAMES HENRY SHAW.

Mrs. Shaw, wife of the late Mr. James Henry Shaw, staff engineer in the Free State Department of Posts and Telegraphs, asks us to state that her husband was never a sorting clerk. He joined the Department in the Instrument Room in Belfast, and finally became staff engineer.

BRAY HOUSING.

EXTRA PAYMENT TO TOWN CLERK.

The Ministry of Local Government wrote to the Acting-Commissioner (Mr. A. P. Delaney) performing the duties of the Bray Urban Council, sanctioning extra payment of £100 to Mr. MacCaul, Town Clerk, and £20 to Dr. Raverty, Medical Officer of Health, for extra work in connection with the little Bray housing scheme.

The letter pointed out that, as the Town Clerk held a whole-time office, the work should come within the terms of his appointment. The payment was made on condition that it was not to be regarded as "pensionable emolument."

CHURCH SERVICES.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Psalm, 16. Jubilate, 15. Litany, Hymn, 706. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Men's voices. Chants, 17, 14. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, West in E flat. Anthem, "God is a Spirit," Bennett, 153.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Jubilate. Litany. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. West in E flat. Anthem, "Seek Him that maketh," Elgar.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES. Branches of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., U.S.A.—Sunday Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Christian Science Reading Rooms at the same addresses. Open daily free to the public, from 11 a.m. FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, DUBLIN, AT LOWER BAGGOT STREET. SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, DUBLIN, AT RATHMINES PARK. Wednesday evening meetings, with testimonies of Christian Science Healing, at 8 o'clock. All are welcome to our Services.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

At the concluding sale of the series six catalogues were offered, totalling 11,008 bales, including 2,570 bales New South Wales, 1,432 bales Queensland, 769 bales Victorian, 216 bales West Australian, 5,112 bales New Zealand, 849 bales Patagonian. A brisk sale resulted under general competition, and tone firm. Compared with the closing rates of the last series fine spinner merinos showed an advance of 5 per cent. and top makers' sorts 7½ per cent. Scoured combings were about on a par with previous series, after being 2½ per cent. down, while short pieces improved fully 5 per cent., following an earlier decline. Fine cross-breds sold keenly, and closed about 5 per cent. dearer, medium and coarse grades being about unchanged on balance. Slipes were also fully up to the last series. Of Cape, greasy merinos ruled 5 per cent. to 7½ per cent. higher, with snow whites firm. A small selection of Punta Arenas sold readily on about former terms. The next series is announced to take place on March 1st.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT (CRIMINAL) COURT

DEATH OF MRS. TIERNEY.

MOTORISTS ACQUITTED.

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

The hearing was resumed of the trial of Norman Smellie and Gerald Spratt on the charge of causing the death of Mrs. Mary Tierney by the negligent driving of motor cars, which were in collision at the junction of Haddington road and Northumberland road on the morning of October 4 last. Mrs. Tierney was a passenger in the car driven by Spratt.

Spratt, giving evidence on Monday last, stated that he had asked Dr. and Mrs. Tierney to dine with him. Later he and Mrs. Tierney went to a dance at the Gresham Hotel. When approaching the crossing at Haddington road he sounded his horn. The second car came from the direction of Beggar's Bush Barracks, and the witness presumed that he was on the main road and that the other car would give him way. As it did not do so he swerved to the right. He did everything possible to avoid the collision.

Mr. Smellie, in evidence yesterday, said that he was driving along Haddington road at from twenty-five to thirty miles an hour, and as he approached the crossing he slowed down to fifteen miles an hour. When in the mouth of Haddington road he noticed another car approaching from the city direction, being then about forty yards from the crossing. He accelerated to cross the road, and the other car struck him on the right side, throwing him to the left and into the railings. Had Mr. Spratt not swerved to the right the collision would have been avoided. In his opinion Mr. Spratt made a mistake in judgment in not going straight on.

The defendants were found not guilty and discharged.

The Court adjourned until 10.30 o'clock this morning.

CURRENCY COMMISSION ACCOUNTS.

The accounts of the Currency Commission for the year ended 31st March, 1931, were published yesterday. The notes outstanding on that date were valued at £7,341,799. The Commission's chief assets are British Government Securities, valued at £6,939,426. The Profit and Loss Appropriation Account shows: general reserve, £25,837 1s. 2d.; pension reserve, £764 5s. 10d.; depreciation accounts, £3,823; surplus income account, £227,946 5s. Total, £258,370 12s.

SCHOOL CAPITATION GRANTS.

With regard to a statement published yesterday to the effect that certain capitation grants in connection with elementary schools were likely to be reduced by the operation of the Free State Government's economy plan, an *Irish Times* representative was informed at the Education Department yesterday that no such proposal was before the Department or the Minister. It was explained that such reduction would operate unfairly as between certain types of schools and grades of teachers, and moreover that it would lead to considerable unemployment.

FUNERAL OF CANON P. RYAN.

The funeral of the Very Reverend Canon Philip Ryan, P.P., V.F., who died on Saturday last, took place to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Skerries, yesterday, after Requiem Mass and Solemn Office.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Watters, P.P., V.G., V.F., presided at the Mass, which was celebrated by the Rev. Philip Ryan. The Rev. M. Behan acted as deacon, with the Rev. P. Ryan sub-deacon, and the Rev. R. O'Leary master of ceremonies.

The chief mourners were:—The Very Rev James Kennedy, P.P., Atherstone, Birmingham; the Rev. Patrick Ryan, C.C., and the Rev. Philip Ryan, C.C. (nephews).

Among those present at the funeral were:—The Very Rev. Canon Bowden, the Very Rev. Canon McMahon, the Rev. G. Dunne, the Rev. T. O'Donnell, the Rev. J. Gunning, the Rev. J. Nolan, the Rev. J. O'Doherty, the Rev. J. Dempsey, the Rev. C. Lusby, O.M.I.; the Rev. M. Fitzpatrick, O.M.I.; the Rev. W. J. Fitzpatrick, the Very Rev. R. Fleming, the Very Rev. J. McGuirk, the Rev. B. Creagh, the Rev. M. Martin, the Rev. V. McDonald, the Rev. C. Kelly, the Rev. E. Cahill, S.J.; the Right Rev. Monsignor Walshe, V.G.; the Right Rev. Monsignor Cronin, V.G.; the Rev. J. A. Sexton, the Very Rev. P. O'Gorman, the Very Rev. J. S. McMahon, the Rev. J. Union, the Rev. J. Kenny, the Rev. P. Glasheen, the Rev. D. Ryan, Chaplain, National Army; the Rev. K. R. Brady, the Rev. J. T. Kelly, the Rev. J. Riordan, the Rev. M. Ryan, the Rev. M. Toher, the Rev. J. Doyle, the Rev. M. Frewen, the Rev. D. Hickey, the Very Rev. P. Kennedy, the Rev. Canon Hoey, the Rev. Canon Early, the Rev. J. Dwyer, the Very Rev. J. Dempsey, the Rev. D. Delaney, the Rev. R. J. Glennon, the Rev. J. Scanlon, the Rev. P. Kearney, the Rev. J. Menton, the Rev. P. O'Sullivan, the Rev. P. Fahey, the Rev. Brother S. H. Butler; Messrs. H. C. McWeeney, C. P. Eaton, J. W. Bacon, J. G. O'Connor, T. V. Davy, Dr. M. Russell, W. O'Hara, J. Davis, P. J. Curran, H. M. Dardis, J. Oebges, Colonel Keane.

Lord Darling, who was knocked down by a motor lorry yesterday in Trevor square, London, was stated last night to be going on very well. His head and face were injured, but not seriously. Lord Darling was 82 last December.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

MISSING CATTLE.

CHARGE AGAINST A BUTCHER.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

Patrick Whelan (29), described as a butcher, living in a gate lodge at Clondalkin, was remanded in custody, charged with the larceny of six cattle, the property of Patrick Lane, 30 Ellis quay, Dublin, from the grazing lands at Kimmage of John Norton

Mr. Lane said that after missing the cattle, which were worth £17 a head, he went to the East Wall, where he saw four animals with his brand on their backs.

Mr. Michael Maher, Glasnevin, a cattle salesman, said that on the morning of January 28th last a man, who said that his name was William Murphy, came to him and told him that Edward Murphy, Fairview Dairy, Kimmage, had sent him four bullocks, and wanted the witness to sell them. The cattle were subsequently sold, and he gave the prisoner a cheque for £55 2s. 6d., made out to Mr. Edward Murphy and crossed. The prisoner subsequently asked him to alter the cheque, but he refused.

Next day, accompanied by the manager of the Munster and Leinster Bank, he went to Kimmage to see Mr. Edward Murphy at his house in connection with the matter. On getting there he described the man calling himself William Murphy to a resident, and was told that his name was Patrick Whelan.

"I went to the lodge where I was directed," went on the witness. "I asked was Mr. Murphy there, and the prisoner came to the door with one of his legs bent down so that he looked upwards to me. I asked him what happened to his leg, and he told me that he got wounded in 1919, and that he was in the I.R.A., and had a pension of £3 10s. per month from the Army. His face was blackened, and I asked him about it. He said that the fire had been smoking and he was working at the chimney. All the time I recognised him. I made no mistake about him."

OFFER OF ROUGH SHOOTING.

Mr. D. J. Nolan, manager of the Munster and Leinster Bank, Rathgar, said that on the 28th January last a man called at the bank and submitted a cheque to the value of £55 2s. 6d. The man told him that he had had previous transactions with the bank office, and, when asked to write his name and address on the back of the cheque, wrote "Edward Murphy, Broomhill, Tallagh, Co. Dublin." After further conversation, he offered to obtain for the witness's friends some rough shooting in the country. Eventually the witness directed that the cheque should be cashed. The witness added that the man in the dock bore a very distinct resemblance to the man who cashed the cheque. The only possible difference was that the defendant might be a slightly broader man.

The accused man was remanded in custody until Monday next.

LOITERING CHARGE.

Charged with loitering and failing to give a satisfactory account of himself, John O'Shea, no fixed address, told the Court that he had been working as a kitchen porter in the Savoy Hotel, London, until 1928, since when he had been out of work. Unable to find employment in England, he worked his passage to Belfast. He then got a "lift" to Dublin, and was still out of work. He was born in Waterford, and had lived six years in London. He was unmarried.

A remand was granted for further inquiries.

DAMAGED TOBACCO.

APPLICATION OF AMERICAN LAW

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

The case of Michael Macnamara and Son, tobacco importers, against the owners of the steamship Hatteras was again before the court. Originally it came up on an agreed statement of facts, in the form of a special case for the opinion of the Court on questions of law which raised the issue of liability for damage by vermin to sixty-nine hogsheads of tobacco which had been shipped on board the Hatteras at Norfolk, United States of America, and consigned to the plaintiffs at Dublin. The vermin, it was agreed, came from rabbit skins which were stowed in the same part of the ship.

Mr. Justice Meredith in his considered judgment found in favour of the plaintiffs that a clause in the bill of lading offended against the provisions of Section 1 of an American Act, called the Harter Act, 1893, which were expressly incorporated in the bill of lading, and he found that the defendants were not protected by Section 3 of the same Act. The defendants appealed to the Supreme Court, where the point was raised on behalf of the defendants that this was an American contract and should be considered according to American law, and the Supreme Court made an order that, being of opinion that the contract was an American contract and that it should be considered according to American law, the order of the High Court should be discharged and that the case should be remitted for determination by the High Court. Accordingly the case came back to Mr. Justice Meredith to decide the questions raised according to American law.

Mr. Overend, K.C., Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. E. S. Robinson (instructed by Messrs. Hayes and Sons) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. FitzGibbon, K.C., Mr. Dockrell, K.C., and Mr. Monks (instructed by Messrs. D. and T. Fitzgerald) for the defendants.

Mr. Lucius F. Crane, of the English and American Bar, was examined regarding the principles and construction of American statutes in relation to American contracts, and his evidence had not concluded when the Court rose.

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE SERVICE.

Canon Crozier, M.A., conducted a well-attended Disarmament Conference Service, with intercessory prayers, in St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, Dublin, yesterday afternoon.

SOLDIER SENTENCED TO DEATH.

George Thomas Pople (22), described as a private in the 2nd Battalion of the South Wales Borderers, was found guilty at Gloucester Assizes yesterday of the murder of Mrs. Mabel Elizabeth Matthews (56) near Burford, in the Cotswold hills, on December 19, and was sentenced to death.

The committee of the British Red Cross Society (Children's Clothing Department) will hold a whist drive in the Mansion House, Dublin, on Friday next at 7.15 p.m., in aid of the funds of this society.

THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

ACCOMMODATION IN DUBLIN.

Mr. F. O'Reilly, Director of Organisation of the Eucharistic Congress, stated to a representative of the *Irish Times*, with reference to the letter from Mr. C. A. G. Gamble, which appeared in yesterday's issue, that he had no knowledge whatever of the Tourists' Association, 52nd Avenue, New York.

There is still available, he added, a good deal of first class accommodation in private houses and in colleges at very reasonable rates. He could not account, he continued, for the rumours widely spread that all accommodation is booked out. The various shipping agencies abroad are, however, conversant with the true position, and are in touch with the Congress offices, so that all the accommodation available is likely to be needed. This fact he wished to bring especially to the notice of persons in the Irish provinces who wish to stay in Dublin during Congress week. Places should be booked immediately.

The circumstances of the posting of the letter quoted by Mr. Gamble, he thought, pointed to its origin in quarters unfriendly to the Congress. Mr. Gamble, he added, had done the Congress a service, for which he was grateful.

LINERS WITH PILGRIMS.

The s.s. Milwaukee, of the Hamburg-American Line, which will be anchored in Scotsman's Bay during the Congress, will have 900 pilgrims. The s.s. Oceana, of the same company, berthed at Alexandra Basin, will carry, probably, 400 pilgrims.

The North German Lloyd liners, Sierra Cordoba and Luetzow will bring 1,500 from New York. The same company's liner, Dresden, will carry 800 Continentals, principally Germans and Dutch. The Sierra Cordoba and the Luetzow will berth in Alexandra Basin, and the Dresden will anchor in Scotsman's Bay.

The North German Lloyd announce that a fourth ship, the s.s Yorch, will bring 600 pilgrims direct from Galveston, U.S.A., to Cobh. The s.s. Stuttgart and the s.s. Steuben, of the same company, will sail from New York, arriving in Galway on June 3rd and June 10th, respectively, with pilgrims. The s.s. Columbus, also of the German Lloyd, will arrive in Cobh on June 10th. She is the largest of the liners coming to Ireland for the Congress.

RECRUITING 20,000 STEWARDS.

The preliminary work in connection with the arrangements to recruit 20,000 Congress stewards in Archdiocese of Dublin is now being advanced with all speed. The work of recruiting will begin as early as possible, and will proceed on the same lines as for the emancipation celebrations, parish by parish.

RE-VALUATION IN THE NORTH.

STATEMENT BY MINISTER OF FINANCE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

The new valuations under the Northern Re-valuations Bill will not take effect until a year later than originally contemplated, acordin gto a statement made by the Minister of Finance (Right Hon. H. M. Pollock) in the Northern Senate to-day during the Committee stage of the bill.

OPERATION TO BE POSTPONED.

When Mr. T. J. Campbell, K.C., moved an amendment postponing the operation of the bill until after the 1st January, 1937, the Minister of Finance made the following important statement:—

"I am sorry that I cannot agree with this amendment. The changes that will take place by reason of alterations of the date from the 1st March to some later date would have the effect of carrying the matter forward for another year, and therefore that meets a suggestion made by the Lord Mayor of Belfast and the Mayor of Derry. I think this will accomplish the purpose they had in their minds—that is to say, it would certainly postpone the operation of the measure for another year."

HEAVY SENTENCE ON WOMAN SPY.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

Sentence of six years' penal servitude was imposed upon a woman, on the charge of betraying military secrets, by the Supreme Prussian Court to-day. She came from Czechoslovakia.

FOUND DEAD IN RATHGAR.

Mr Bernard Levinson (55), Homeville House, Rathmines road, Dublin, was found dead by Civic Guards in a house in Victoria road, Rathgar, yesterday morning.

The Civic Guards at Rathmines station received a letter by post in which they were requested to go to the house in Victoria road. When the Guards arrived they found it locked up. They entered by a window and Mr. Levinson was found lying dead in the kitchen, which, it was stated, smelt strongly of gas. The house where he was found is owned by a relative.

The dead man, who was a furniture dealer, with premises in Dawson street, leaves a wife and a grown-up family.

An inquest will be held to-day.

BRAY ESPLANADE.

Lettings of pitches on the Esplanade, Bray, were made at yesterday's meeting of the Urban Council. The tenders of Mr. Hunt and Mr. Dawson, caterers, were accepted at £150 each for the season, while Miss Cairns's proposal of £50 for a sweet and refreshment stand was also accepted.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—30.30.
Wind and Weather at 5 p.m.—Northerly winds, light breeze, fine.

Foreign Arrivals—Trito, of Rotterdam, 373 tons register, Captain Holl, from Rotterdam, with general cargo, proceeded to Belfast with part cargo; City of Dublin, of Dublin, 667 tons register, Captain Niblock, from Hamburg, via Belfast, with general cargo.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Connaught, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Lairdsglen, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Slieve Donard and Snowden, from Holyhead, with goods; Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; Clandeboye, from London, with cement; Carrowdore, from Liverpool, with empties; Glencullen and Glenageary, from Ardrossan, with coal; Silverfield, from Birkenhead, with coal; Mayflower, from Garston, with coal; Thelma, from Preston, with coal; Jasmine, from Newport, with coal; Broswall, from Ayr, with coal.

MAYO TEACHER'S COMPLAINT.

ACTION FOR ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE AND A JURY.)

The hearing of the action of Miss Nora Molloy, formerly assistant teacher in Lisduff National School, County Mayo, against the Very Rev. James Canon Gallagher, P.P., Kiltimagh, manager of the school, and Miss Bridget Egan, principal, and Miss Margaret Egan, assistant teacher of the school, and Mr. H Morris, Sligo, Divisional Inspector of Schools, was continued. The plaintiff claimed damages for alleged conspiracy to injure her and deprive her of her position as assistant teacher in the school, where she had been employed from 12th October, 1914, to 4th November, 1927.

The defendants denied all the acts of conspiracy alleged against them, and pleaded that the plaintiff's alleged cause of action was barred by Section 1 of the Public Authorities Protection Act, 1893.

Mr. Wood, K.C., Mr. Leonard, K.C., Mr. O'Connor, K.C., and Mr. Conor Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Ruttledge [illegible]) appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Finlay, K.C., and Mr. Micks (instructed by Mr. [illegible] O'Connor) for the Very Rev. Canon Gallagher; Mr. Lavery, K.C., and [illegible] (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) for Mr. Morris; and Mr. Lynch, K.C., Mr. Binchy, K.C., and Mr. T. J. Connolly (instructed by Mr. A. V. G. Thornton) for Miss Egan and Miss Egan.

The plaintiff was examined by Mr. Leonard, and in the course of her evidence she said that Mrs. Egan had been absent from the school on a large number of occasions, and Miss Egan also had been [illegible] the absence in some cases being [illegible]. In June, 1926, she complained to Mr. Morris and pointed out to Mr. O'Byrne, [illegible] spector, alterations made in the roll and [illegible] ances. The clock in the school [illegible] altered, so that pupils who were in attendance were marked absent. Mrs. Egan on [illegible] occasion promoted six pupils from one class, the effect of the improper promotion being that her status would be reduced. [illegible] Egan encouraged the children to stay [illegible].

After Mr. O'Byrne had made [illegible] December, 1926, she, Mrs. Egan and Miss Egan shook hands, and agreed to let bygones be bygones. An inquiry was held in March, 1927. She saw the charges made against her, but did not get a copy of them. She gave a list of the charges made [illegible] self to Mr. Morris. She received no [illegible] about the result of the inquiry until November 2, 1927, when she received a letter informing her that the Department had decided that she could not be recognised as assistant teacher in the Lisduff School, and that her salary would be withdrawn from her in that capacity as from 4th November, 1927.

On the following Monday when she went to the school a sergeant of the Civic Guard told her that she had no authority to be in the school, and that he was acting on Canon Gallagher's instructions. The school was guarded by Civic Guards for about a week.

Mr. Leonard read a report of 20th December, 1926, made by Mr. O'Byrne, in the course of which it was stated that he advised the plaintiff and the principal and assistant teachers to forget their differences and work in harmony. All three agreed and shook hands.

Witness said that was so, and, as far as she knew, permanent peace was made on that occasion. On the 14th January, however, she had to complain that certain orders given by Mr. O'Byrne were not carried out.

With regard to complaints stated to have been made about witness and behind her back to Canon Gallagher, witness stated, in reply to counsel, that no complaint was made to her directly by Mrs. Egan that she was creating insubordination.

In further evidence plaintiff denied charges stated to have been made against her regarding school details.

The examination of the plaintiff had not concluded when the Court rose.

BETWEEN 'BUS AND STANDARD.

DUBLIN COMMISSION AGENT INJURED.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND A JURY.)

An action was heard in which John Sherwin, a commission agent, of 35 Annesley avenue, North Strand, Dublin, claimed damages against the Dublin United Tramways Company, Ltd., for personal injuries caused through the alleged negligence of the defendants' servants in the management of a 'bus at Eden quay, Dublin, on the 12th of last April. The plaintiff stated that the 'bus was started while he was in the act of boarding it, and that he was crushed between the 'bus and a lamp standard. His right shoulder was dislocated and four of his ribs were broken.

The defendants denied negligence, and pleaded contributory negligence, and that the accident who due solely to the negligence of the plaintiff, who, they stated, boarded the 'bus while it was in motion.

The jury, after an hour and a half, disagreed, and were discharged.

Mr. Geoghegan, K.C., Mr. Martin Maguire, K.C., and Mr. Frank Sweeney (instructed by Messrs. Joyce and Joyce) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr. Joseph Mooney (instructed by Messrs. Casey, Clay and Collins) for the defendants.

COUNTY MEATH PROBATE SUIT.

PARTIES CONSENT TO SETTLEMENT.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

A probate suit of Mrs. Kate Shanley, Ballyboggan, Co. Meath, and James Robinson, a farmer, of Kilcock, Co. Kildare, against Mrs. Mary Cross, of Rathangan, Co. Kildare, was set down for hearing before a jury. The plaintiffs, as executors, sought to establish the will and codicil of 1st June, 1931, of Thomas Brogan, a farmer, late of Ballyboggan, who died on the 18th June, 1931.

The defendant contested the will on the usual statutory grounds.

When the case was called it was announced that the parties had consented to a settlement, under which the defendant was to get £50, she to withdraw her opposition to the will being admitted to probate, and the parties to get their costs out of the estate, which was said to consist of two farms in Co. Meath and some stock.

A jury was dispensed with, and, evidence having been given in support of the will and codicil, Mr. Justice Hanna admitted the will to probate in solemn form.

Mr. Lavery, K.C., and Mr. Roe (instructed by Messrs. T. O'K. White and Son) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. [illegible] Hamilton, K.C., and Mr. Monks (instructed by Messrs. Brown and McCann) for the defendant.

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[illegible] FOR ALLEGED [illegible]NSPIRACY.

[illegible]. JUSTICE O'BYRNE AND A JURY.)

[illegible] of the action of Miss Nor[illegible] [illegible]ly assistant teacher in Lisdu[illegible] [illegible]l, County Mayo, against [illegible] [illegible]ames Canon Gallagher, P.P[illegible] [illegible]anager of the school; Mr[illegible] principal, and Miss Margar[illegible] [illegible]t teacher of the school, an[illegible] Sligo, Divisional Inspector [illegible] [illegible]ontinued. The plaintiff clai[illegible] [illegible]leged conspiracy to injure h[illegible] [illegible]r of her position as assista[illegible] school, where she had be[illegible] 12th October, 1914, to [illegible] [illegible]7.

[illegible]ts denied all the acts of co[illegible] against them, and plead[illegible] [illegible]tiff's alleged cause of actio[illegible] [illegible]y Section 1. of the Publi[illegible] [illegible]tection Act, 1893.

[illegible]K.C., Mr. Leonard, K.C., M[illegible] [illegible], and Mr. Conor Maguir[illegible] Messrs. Ruttledge and Co[illegible] [illegible]e plaintiff; Mr. Finlay, K.C[illegible] [illegible]ks (instructed by Mr. [illegible] the Very Rev. Cano[illegible] Lavery, K.C., and Mr. R[illegible] the Chief State Solicitor) fo[illegible] and Mr. Lynch, K.C., M[illegible] and Mr. T. J. Connolly (i[illegible] A. V. G. Thornton) for Mr[illegible] Egan.

[illegible]f was examined by M[illegible] [illegible]n the course of her evidenc[illegible] Mrs. Egan had been abse[illegible] [illegible]l on a large number of occ[illegible] [illegible] Egan also had been absen[illegible] [illegible]ome cases being simultaneou[illegible] [illegible]he complained to Mr. Morri[illegible] [illegible]ut to Mr. O'Byrne, the i[illegible] [illegible]ons made in the roll of atten[illegible] [illegible]lock in the school had bee[illegible] pupils who were in attendan[illegible] [illegible]bsent. Mrs. Egan on o[illegible] [illegible]ted six pupils from witness[illegible] [illegible]t of the improper promotio[illegible] status would be reduced. Mr[illegible] [illegible]d the children to stay away. [illegible]O'Byrne had made peace [illegible], she, Mrs. Egan and Mi[illegible] [illegible]nds, and agreed to let by[illegible] [illegible]nes. An inquiry was held [illegible] She saw the charges ma[illegible] [illegible]t did not get a copy of the[illegible] of the charges made by h[illegible] [illegible]orris. She received no wo[illegible] [illegible] of the inquiry until Nove[illegible] [illegible]n she received a letter infor[illegible] [illegible]he Department had decid[illegible] not be recognised as [illegible] [illegible]r in the Lisduff School, a[illegible] would be withdrawn from h[illegible] as from 4th November, 192[illegible] [illegible]ing Monday when she we[illegible] sergeant of the Civic Gua[illegible] she had no authority to [illegible] and that he was acting [illegible] [illegible]r's instructions. The scho[illegible] [illegible]y Civic Guards for about [illegible]

[illegible] read a report of 20th Dece[illegible] [illegible]e by Mr. O'Byrne, in t[illegible] it was stated that he advis[illegible] [illegible]d the principal and assista[illegible] [illegible]et their differences and wo[illegible] All three agreed and sho[illegible]

[illegible] that was so, and, as far [illegible] [illegible]manent peace was made [illegible] On the 14th January, how[illegible] [illegible] complain that certain orde[illegible] [illegible]'Byrne were not carried out[illegible] to complaints stated to ha[illegible] [illegible]t witness and behind her ba[illegible] [illegible]gher, witness stated, in rep[illegible] [illegible]t no complaint was made [illegible] [illegible]y Mrs. Egan that she w[illegible] [illegible]dination.

[illegible]dence plaintiff denied charg[illegible] been made against her rega[illegible] [illegible]ls.

[illegible]ion of the plaintiff had [illegible] the Court rose.

[illegible]EEN 'BUS AND [illegible]TANDARD.

[illegible]COMMISSION AGENT INJURED.

[illegible]R. JUSTICE HANNA AND A JURY.)

[illegible]s heard in which John Sh[illegible] [illegible]sion agent, of 35 Annes[illegible] Strand, Dublin, claim[illegible] [illegible]t the Dublin United Tra[illegible] Ltd., for personal injur[illegible] the alleged negligence of t[illegible] [illegible]ants in the management o[illegible] [illegible]uay, Dublin, on the 12th [illegible] plaintiff stated that the '[illegible] [illegible]e he was in the act of boa[illegible] he was crushed between t[illegible] standard. His right should[illegible] and four of his ribs w[illegible]

[illegible]ts denied negligence, [illegible] [illegible]tory negligence, and that [illegible] [illegible]e solely to the negligence [illegible] [illegible]o, they stated, boarded [illegible] [illegible]s in motion.

[illegible]er an hour and a half, [illegible] [illegible]e discharged.

[illegible], K.C.; Mr. Martin Magui[illegible] Frank Sweeney (instructed [illegible] [illegible]nd Joyce) appeared for [illegible] [illegible]Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.[illegible] [illegible]h Mooney (instructed [illegible] Clay and Collins) for t[illegible]

[illegible]MEATH PROBATE SUIT.

[illegible]ES CONSENT TO [illegible]TTLEMENT.

MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

[illegible]t of Mrs. Kate Shanley, [illegible] Meath, and James Robins[illegible] [illegible]ilcock, Co. Kildare, agai[illegible] [illegible], of Rathangan, Co. Kilda[illegible] [illegible]r hearing before a jury. T[illegible] [illegible]ecutors, sought to establ[illegible] [illegible]dicil of 1st June, 1931, [illegible] a farmer, late of Ballyb[illegible] [illegible] the 18th June, 1931.

[illegible] contested the will on [illegible] [illegible]rounds.

[illegible] was called it was announ[illegible] had consented to a set[illegible] [illegible]ch the defendant was to [illegible] [illegible]draw her opposition to [illegible] [illegible]itted to probate, and [illegible] [illegible]eir costs out of the esta[illegible] to consist of two farms [illegible] some stock.

[illegible]ispensed with, and, evide[illegible] [illegible]n in support of the will a[illegible] [illegible]ice Hanna admitted them [illegible]n form.

[illegible].C., and Mr. Roe (instruc[illegible] [illegible]K. White and Son) appea[illegible] [illegible]s: and Mr. Hubert Ha[illegible] Mr. Monks (instructed [illegible] and McCann) for the def[illegible]

[illegible] which new houses in B[illegible] [illegible] to be called St. Patric[illegible] Brigid's terrace.

[illegible]GESTION[illegible]

[illegible] neglected is dangerous. The [illegible] always be sought for and [illegible] soon as possible. In all [illegible] Liver, for unless there is [illegible] flow of bile from the Liver, [illegible] digested and the whole [illegible]

[illegible] is Dr. Carter's Little Liver [illegible] everywhere, their pure vege[illegible] in such a way that the whole [illegible]ughly cleansed, "disinfected" [illegible] indigestion quickly disappear[illegible] and discomforts, the head[illegible] and other ills that accom[illegible] Carter's go to the root [illegible]rouble. But be warned, [illegible]ll benefit you in the same [illegible]ill do. So be sure you get [illegible] for the name on every pack[illegible] [illegible]ll Chemists 1/3 and 3/-.

[illegible]RTERS [illegible] PILLS

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN STEADY.

GREAT SOUTHERN ISSUES HARD.

Dublin Stock Market was steady yesterday, but very idle. Price movements were not all in favour of holders. First Loan fell to 101 and India 3½ per cent. to 55½. Banks were idle, with Nationals again marking 44s. 6d.

In the Railway section Great Southern issues were all higher except the Debs., which repeated 44¼. The Guaranteed rose 2½ points to 32½. Great Northern Ord. was easier. Dublin Tram Pref. was unchanged.

Guinness units were again sold, but did not close at the lowest. Cables Pref. lost 1⅜ at 47½.

The Industrial section was a little more robust, led by a rise in Imperial Tobaccos. Bradford Dyers, Unilevers and Lever 7 per cent. were all inclined to go better. Courtaulds lost the turn, but closed with a firmer appearance at 31s. 9d. The fall of eighteen pence in Chartered followed a recent decline in London, due to the probable call on the company to pay guaranteed interest on Rhodesian Railway Debentures.

LONDON FIRMER.

OILS BUOYANT.

Although there was no material expansion in the volume of trading passing in the London Stock markets as a whole yesterday, decidedly firmer conditions prevailed in practically all directions, whilst here and there outstanding features of strength were apparent. At the close the list of price movements showed a big majority of changes favourable to holders, but while they were not individually of great importance, they were wide-spread. Towards the end of the day a reactionary tendency developed in a number of directions, and in certain instances the initial advances were more than discounted. Oil shares again provided the brightest section of the house, an all round advance being scored. A more optimistic opinion regarding the oil position was apparent, while rumours of a price agreement were again circulating. The easier tone apparent among British funds on Monday continued in the early dealings yesterday, but recovered in the later dealings. Indias remained quiet at their lower rates, and Australians also failed to regain any part of the previous day's sharp losses. Trading in Foreign Government Stock was again on a restricted scale, but while, for the most part, quotations held steady, Chinese and Brazilians were lowered fractionally, and Japanese descriptions went off further. Rather more attention was directed to British Railways, and values were marked forward the turn. Colonial and Foreign Railways also displayed a somewhat firmer appearance, but here again the movements were few and of little consequence. American Railways showed a firm front, a number of appreciable improvements being scored. There was not a great deal going on in the Industrial markets, and it is not expected that interest will show any signs of returning until the international situation becomes more clarified. Match issues hardened, as did certain Breweries, while the Electrical Equipment group presented a firmer appearance. Motors also displayed a better tendency, but the trans-Atlantic descriptions were uncertain, while Textiles and Shipping were dullish. The Miscellaneous issues moved irregularly. Mines displayed a firmer appearance. Kaffirs hardened on Paris support, and Tintos went better. Chartered were a good market, following the previous day's sharp set-back.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active Stocks and [illegible]ares were "marked" in London yesterday:—Consols—55, ⅛, 1/16, 4¾, ⅞, 13/16. 5 p.c. War [illegible]n—93 7/16, 9/16, ⅝, ½, ⅜, *¾, 15/32, 13/32. Fund[illegible] Loan—86¾, ⅝, ¼, ½, 5/16, 9/16, 7/16. Conver[illegible]n Loan 3½ p.c.—75⅜, ¼, ⅛, 1/16, 5/16, 5, 1/16. [illegible] p.c. Consols—84⅝, ⅛, ¼, 5/16, 1/16, 5/16. 4½ p.c. [illegible]asury Bonds—98 5/16, ⅞, 9, ⅛. Australia 5 p.c. [illegible]—52, 77, ½, 9, ½, 8. Aerated Bread—18/6, [illegible]d., 3d. African and Eastern—1/-, 1½d., 3d., [illegible]d., 5¼d. Allied Newspapers Ord.—11/9, 10½d., Amalgamated Press—13/1½, 12/9. Anglo-[illegible]tch Rubber—10/11¼, 9d., 7½d. Assoc. Cement—[illegible], 3d., 1½d. Assoc. Newspapers Def.—11/9, [illegible]½d., 12/-. Brazilian Traction (x.d.)—16½, 9/16, [illegible], 5/16, ⅝, ¼, 16, ⅛. British-American Tobacco [illegible]d.)—73/9, 4/8¼, 5/3¾, 4/0¾, 4½d., 5/-. British [illegible]tch Ord.—22/3, 4½d., 6d. Buenos Ayres Great [illegible]uthern—38½, ⅝, 9, ½, ¼. Cables and Wireless [illegible]—16¾, 17, ⅝; do. B—*10⅝, 15/16, ½; do. 5½ [illegible] Pref.—48, ¼, 7, ½, ⅜, ¼. Canadian Pacific—[illegible] 15/16, ⅛, 2, ¼, ⅛, ½, 1/16. Coats—39/-, 8/4½, [illegible], 9d., 6¾d., 10½d. Courtaulds—31/6, 3d., 1/-, [illegible], 30/11¼, 2/-, 1½d. Crystalate Gramophone—[illegible]¾, 10½d. Cunard Ord.—6/6, 10½d., 9d. "Daily Mail" Trust—26/-, 3d., 5/9. "Daily [illegible]rror" Ord.—9/-, 3d. Dunlop Ord.—13/-, 1½d., [illegible]9, 10½d. Electric and Musical Ord.—19/7½, [illegible]½d., 6d., 7½d., 4½d., 3d. Ford Motors—31/4½, Gallaher Pref.—21/3, 6d. General Electric—[illegible]3, 9d., 1/-; do. Debs.—99, ½, 8. Great Western [illegible]il—44¾, ¼, ½, 5/16, ⅜, 3⅞; do. 5 p.c. Pref.—[illegible] Greek 7 p.c. Refugee—56, 7, ½. Guinness [illegible]d.—81/-, 80/-. Harland and Wolff Pref.—2/5¼, [illegible]d. Harrods Ord.—*47/-, 3d., 7/-, 6d. Hudson's [illegible]y Ord.—19/9. Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924 (x.d.)—[illegible]4, 5¼. Imperial Airways—13/-, 6d. Imperial [illegible]emical Ord.—15/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d., *15/-, 6d.; [illegible] Def.—4/5¼. Imperial Tobacco—80/-, 6d., 7½d., [illegible]d. *78/9, 9/8¼, *7/7½, 80/1½. International [illegible]oldings—1¼, 5/16. International Nickel (dols.)—[illegible]4, 1/16, ⅛, 3/16. Inveresk Paper—3/1½. Lever [illegible] p.c. Pref.—21/10½, *7½d., 7½d., *6d., 9d. [illegible]ter Ord.—13/-, 12/7½, 9d. London, Midland [illegible] Scottish Ord.—17½, ⅝, ⅜, ⅞, ¼. London and [illegible]. Pref.-Ord.—10¾, *¾, ⅞, *⅝; do. Def.-Ord.—[illegible], ⅛, ⅝, *⅛, *4¾. Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.—[illegible]3. Malayalam Rubber—8/-. Maypole Def.—[illegible]0½, 8¼d. P. and O. 5 p.c. Def.—21/6, 9d., [illegible]d., 1/-. Prov. Cinema Theatres—13/4½, 3d. [illegible]bber Trust—14/10½, 9d., 6d. Southern Rail [illegible]f.-Ord.—37¼, 6¾, do. Def.-Ord.—10, ¼. Sudan [illegible]ntations—26/-, 3d., 5/7½, *6/-, 9d. "Sunday [illegible]torial" Ord.—20/-. Swedish Match "B"—5 27/32, Tobacco Securities Ord.—*46/3; do. Def.—[illegible]/-, 2/6. Underground Income Bonds—97, ½. [illegible]ted Dairies—36/7½, 9d., 6d., 4½d. Unilever [illegible]—29/0¾, 4½d., *2¼d., 8/9, 5¼d., 9/-; do. [illegible]—30/-, 7½d., 4½d., 11¼d., 9d. United Serdang [illegible]bber—1/6½. United Tobacco—73/9, 2/6. Vickers [illegible]9, 7½d., 6d. Vine Products—6/-, 2¼d. Watney [illegible]mbe Def. (x.d.)—36/6. Westminster Bank—59/6, [illegible] *6d., 9d., 60/3, 4½d. White Star Pref.—[illegible]¼. Woolworth Ord.—49/3, 4½d., 6d., 8/6, 9/-, [illegible], 9/9; do. Pref.—21/3, 1½d., *1/-, 1/-.

(* Exceptional bargain at special price.)

INSURANCE SHARES.

[illegible]USINESS DONE IN LONDON—Alliance, 16¾; [illegible]mercial Union, 17⅞, 18, 1/16, ⅛, 17¾; Eagle [illegible] Ord., 9 1/16; Employers', 47/9, 8/9; General [illegible]ident, 12¼, 11/32, 3/16; London and Lancashire [illegible], 23, ⅛, 1/16, 2⅞; London Assurance, 8; N.B. [illegible] Mercantile, 27⅞, 8, ¼; Northern, 13 9/16, ¾; [illegible]nix, 10¼; do. (£1 f.p.), 11⅜, 5/16; Prudential, [illegible], 1/16, £19 14/-; do. "B" £1 (4/- pd.), 33/-, [illegible] Royal Exchange, 5 1/16; Sun Insurance, 58/-. [illegible]USINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL—London [illegible] Lancashire Insurance, 23; Northern Assur[illegible]e, 13 11/16; Phœnix Assurance, 400,001, etc., [illegible]; Prudential Assurance, 19 13/16; Royal Insur[illegible], 6⅝; Sea Insurance, 61/3.

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MARKETS AT A GLANCE.

Tuesday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London firmer.
Dublin steady.
Manchester Textiles sluggish.
Birmingham Motors easier.
New York weak.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	6	p.c.
Last Year	3	p.c
Irish Banks' Rate	6½	p.c.
Ditto Deposits under £500	3	p.c.
Ditto Deposits over £500 and under £2,000	3½	p.c.
Deposits of £2,000 and over	4	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	3½ 3	p.c.
London Fine 3-Months' Bills	4⅞	p.c.

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET.

J. AND P. COATS DEPRESSED.

Although moderate support was forthcoming in places, there was still a certain amount of hesitation in the Industrial market yesterday.

After a good opening the trans-Atlantic counters became easier on less encouraging advices from New York. U.S. Steel finished at 58, after 59½. Radios proved an exception, the price advancing in the late dealings to 11¼.

Cables and Wireless stocks seemed rather uncertain. Marconi Marine lost the turn at 1 1/16.

Motors ruled slightly easier, though a few supporting orders were received for Austins and Fords. Dennis receded to 18s., Napiers to 4s. 1½d., and Thomas Tilling to 51s. 7½d.

Far Eastern developments depressed Textiles. J. and P. Coats were noticeably affected, the price falling 1s. 7½d. to 37s. 9d. Bleachers gave way to 10s. 10½d., and Bradford Dyers to 17s. 10½d. On the other hand, Calico Printers had a steady appearance at 7s. 9d.

Rayons generally remained out of favour but, apart from Canadian Celanese, which gave way to 25s., movements on balance did not amount to much. Courtaulds closed unchanged on the day at 31s. 4½d.

Very little change occurred in the Provision group, where the Unilever issues were finally unaltered after being a trifle harder in the earlier dealings. International Teas and United Dairies finished a few pence lower, while Tate and Lyles again sagged to 40s. 9d.

Tobacco remained an uncertain market, with most of the leading issues on offer. Carreras "A" gave way 1/16 to 3 1/16, with "Bats" the turn easier at 3⅞, and "Imps" at 4.

Although Breweries again showed a certain amount of resistance there was still hesitation in places. Guinness gave way 9d. to 80s.

Banking issues registered further recessions in many instances.

Insurance descriptions continued dull.

Kreuger and Toll and Swedish Match remained steady throughout the day, the former leaving off with a gain of 1/16 at 9⅝, and the latter 1/16 better at 5⅞. Improvements of a few pence took place in British Aluminium at 23s. 6d., and Radiation at 33s. 9d., while Chemicals also closed 3d. to the good at 15s. 3d. J. Lucas Ordinaries were marked up 1/16 to 3.

OIL SHARES BRIGHTER.

The upward movement in Oil shares, which started on Monday, made further headway yesterday. Dealers reported increased business, not only in the leaders, but also in certain of the more speculative favourites.

Rumours continued to circulate of negotiations between the "national" distributors and independents, having for their object a price agreement in regard to motor spirit prices, but nothing definite had transpired when the "house" closed.

A feature of yesterday's business was a strong demand for the call of the better-class shares. The option buying was particularly keen in the case of the Eagle issues, and a good business was reported in Shells, Royal Dutch, Anglo-Persians and Burmahs. There was a continuance of buying by French operators. The Eagle issues were in keen request from Paris, and good buying of Shells and Royal Dutch was also in progress. Continental demand slackened in the afternoon, and prices finished below the best, but gains were still general.

RUBBER SHARES IDLE.

Trading remained on an extremely small scale in the Rubber share market, and in the absence of interest prices again trended against holders. Actual price movements were not numerous, but those returned were of an adverse character. The commodity market was dull and featureless. Spot and February finished at 2⅞d. per lb., with April to June at 3d. per lb., July to September at 3⅛d. per lb., and October to December at 3¼d. per lb.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

DUBLIN UNITED TRAMWAYS COMPANY.

At a Board meeting held yesterday, the directors of the Dublin United Tramways Company decided to recommend, subject to final audit, the payment of a dividend on the Preference Stock at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, less income tax, for the half-year ending 31st December, 1931, and a dividend at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum, less income tax, on the Ordinary Stock for the year ending 31st December, 1931, to set aside towards Mortgage and Debenture Redemption Fund £20,000, and for track renewals £25,000; and to carry forward £12,051. (Last year—6 per cent. Preference Stock, 3 per cent. on Ordinary Stock; £20,000 set aside towards Mortgage and Debenture Redemption Fund, £25,000 for track renewals, and £12,103 carried forward.)

BUDLA BETA TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 3 per cent., less tax.

CITY OFFICES COMPANY.—Final dividend of 15/6 a share, less tax, on Ord., making 31/- a share (less tax) for the year ended 31st December, 1931. (Same.)

ELECTROLYTIC ZINC.—The directors have decided to pay the dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum for the half-year to December 31, 1930, on the 8 per cent. Cum. Part. Pref. shares. The dividend will be paid on April 4. Payment of this dividend was postponed at this time last year. The last Ord. dividend was 10 per cent. in 1929-30.

LONDON COUNTY FREEHOLD AND LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.—Further interim dividend of 2 per cent., making 6 per cent. distributed to date on account of the financial year ending 31st March, 1932.

MONTREAL TRUST COMPANY.—The annual statement of the Montreal Trust Company, one of the largest trust investment houses of Canada, shows net profits of $630,000, which is the largest in the history of the company. The net profits of the previous year were $626,000. The company has estates, trust and agencies accounts totalling nearly $751,000,000.

SECOND BRITISH ASSETS TRUST.—Final dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on Ord., making 15 per cent. for year (same); forward £39,913.

WESTMINSTER ELECTRIC SUPPLY.—Final dividend on Ord. share capital of 1s. 3.12d. per share, less tax, making the company's standard dividend of 1s. 9.12d. per share. (Same.)

RAND GOLD MINING PROFITS FOR JANUARY.

City Deep, £5,057 (£4,502). Consolidated Main Reef, £16,020 (£15,252). Crown Mines, £95,071 (£94,194). Durban Roodepoort Deep, £8,386 (£8,212). East Rand Proprietary, £11,105 (£12,021). Geldenhuis Deep, £6,716 (£6,234). Modderfontein "B," £31,050 (£32,318). Modderfontein East, £16,428 (£16,235). New Modderfontein, £152,271 (£151,125). Nourse, £7,952 (£6,509). Rose Deep, £2,909 (£1,120).

Note—The above figures represent South African currency.

(Profits for December in parentheses.)

East Geduld, £16,218 (£15,611); Geduld Prop., £47,863 (£46,699); Government Areas, £231,117 (£233,049); Langlaagte, £31,049 (£31,028); Meyer and Charlton, £23,014 (£23,052); Modderfontein Deep, £59,312 (£60,366); New State Areas, £83,288 (£81,015); Randfontein, £56,605 (£55,081); Van Ryn, £25,044 (£25,544); Van Ryn Deep, £26,595 (£28,074); West Rand Cons., £25,037 (£25,053); Witwatersrand, £15,139 (£13,040); *Cam and Motor, [illegible] (£9,574); [illegible] £5,522 [illegible] (£3,327).

* Gold taken at normal price.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

[illegible]

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

[illegible]

BANKS.

[illegible]

FOREIGN BONDS.

[illegible]

BRITISH RAILS.

[illegible]

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

[illegible]

AMERICAN RAILS.

[illegible]

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

[illegible]

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

[illegible]

INSURANCE.

[illegible]

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

[illegible]

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

[illegible]

NEWSPAPERS.

[illegible]

NITRATES.

[illegible]

OILS.

[illegible]

RUBBERS.

[illegible]

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

[illegible]

SHIPPING.

[illegible]

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

[illegible]

TEAS.

[illegible]

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES, WIRELESS

[illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

M.U.		Closing		Rise or fall
[illegible]	African and East. Trade	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Associated Cement	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Associated Electric Ind.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Baird Television Pf.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Borax Con. Def.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	Brazilian Traction	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	British-American Tobacco	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	British Aluminium	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	British Inter. Pict. (5/-)	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2/6	British Match	21/9	22/9	-0/3
1 15/16	British Portland Cement	1 13/16	1 15/16	+1/16
28/6	British Oil and Cake	28/3	28/9	
48/6	Callenders Cable	47/0	49/0	
—	Canadian Car	8	10	
3¼	Carreras	3 3/16	3 5/16	-1/16
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	9/9	10/9	-0/3
2/7½	Crystalate Gramo. Ord.	2/7½	3/1½	+3/1½
13/3	Dunlop Rubber	12/9	13/3	
19/9	Electric and Musical	19/6	20/0	
18/3	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	18/0	19/0	
21/3	Ever Ready	21/0	21/6	
1⅝	Ford Motor	31/0	32/0	-0/3
—	Gallaher Ord.	27/9	28/9	-0/3
41/0	General Electric Ord.	40/0	41/0	
—	Harland Wolff Pref.	2/0	2/8	
47/0	Harrod's Stores	2 11/32	2 15/32	+1/32
8/6	Harrod's (B.A.)	8/0	8/9	
4 15/16	Henley's Telegraph	4¾	5	-1/16
—	Imperial Airways	13/3	13/9	+0/1½
4	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	3 31/32	4 1/32	-1/32
38/6	Do. Canada	38/0	39/0	
5/0	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	15/1½	15/4½	+0/3
4/6	Do. Def.	4/3	4/9	
1 5/16	Internal. Holdings Ord.	1 3/16	1 5/16	-1/16
11⅞	International Nickels	11⅞	12⅛	-⅛
22/9	Johnson and Phillips	21/0	23/0	
9⅛	Kreuger and Toll	9½	9¾	+5/16
21/9	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	21/6	22/0	
—	Napier Ord. (5/-)	3/9	4/6	-0/1½
—	North American Co.	45	50	
0/6	Parent Trust Def.	—	1/0	
4/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	3/7½	4/1½	
—	Reckitt Ord.	3 11/16	3 15/16*	
12/0	Roneo	[illegible]	[illegible]	
1 5/16	Salt Union	1 1/16	1 3/16	
—	San Paulo Tram Deb.	66	71	
34	Shawinigan Water Com.	33	36	
5 11/16	Swedish Match B.	5¾	6	+3/16
—	Tate and Lyle	40/3	41/3	-0/1½
0/7½	Taylor Cash Chem. Def.	0/6	1/0	
—	Tilling Ord.	51/0	52/3	-0/3
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	2¼	2½	
—	Do. Def.	2½	2⅝	
1 17/32	Triplex Glass	30/3	31/3	
1 7/16	Unilever Ord.	1 7/16	1½	
1 15/32	Do. (N.V.)	1 7/16	1 15/16	
8/4½	United Molasses	8/4½	8/10½	
6/3	Vine Products Ord.5/- Sh.	5/9	6/9	-0/1½
4/3	Vocalion Gramophone	4/0	4/6	-0/1½
23/9	Wallpaper Def.	21/6	25/6	-0/3
49/6	Woolworth Ord.	48/6	49/6	
21/1½	Do. Pref.	21/0	21/3	

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div. § Ex bonus.

OIL PRODUCTION.

Phœnix Oil and Transport Co.—Gross production of the Phœnix Group for January—45,894 tons.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions—Production for the week ended January 30th—Bolivar district, 95,842 metric tons; Maracaibo district, 7,933 metric tons. Total, 95,775 metric tons, against 92,444 metric tons for the previous week.

BRITISH REVENUE

COMING IN WELL.

How well the revenue is coming in and the satisfactory position of the British Exchequer accounts is shown in the fact that the current deficit is over £23,000,000 less than it was last year.

Exchequer receipts issued last night show that the current deficit on January 30 was £113,985,438, as compared with £137,350,000 on January 31 last year.

The collection of income tax and surtax again shows remarkable results. During the week ended January 30, income tax receipts amounted to £22,186,000—£7,919,000 more than was collected during the corresponding week last year. The total amount collected for the financial year to January 30 was £165,579,000—£39,878,000 more than up to January 31 last year.

The amount collected from surtax for the week ended January 30 was £3,160,000, as against £2,690,000 last year, and the total amount of surtax for the year to January 30, £43,530,000, was £12,790,000 more than up to January 31 last year. The total ordinary revenue for the year to January 30 was £539,074,247—£7,027,159 more than for the corresponding period last year; and the total ordinary expenditure, at £627,153,054, was less by £237,991.

LONDON MINING MARKET HARDER.

TINTOS ACTIVE AND STRONG.

While business was again on a small scale in the Mining Market yesterday, the tone was quite firm, and although this was mainly due to sentiment, the further advances which occurred in metal prices were undoubtedly helpful. Mr. Havenga's statement in the Union House of Assembly did not prevent Kaffirs from making a partial recovery. Paris was in rather a bullish mood. A number of its usual favourites made headway. On the other hand, the Cape took scarcely any interest in these shares, but prices generally trended in the upward direction. As regards Diamonds, De Beers Prefd. continued in demand, but the Pref. were out of favour. Chartered were again the feature among Rhodesians, the heavy fall of the preceding day being partly recovered. The price of copper hardened to £37 13s. 9d. per ton. Roans closed a shade harder, but the only other variation in this section was a fractional rise in Rhokanas. Paris bought Tintos, and although they closed below the best, the final quotation was appreciably higher. A further improvement occurred in the price of tin to £140 7s. 6d. per ton, despite the increase in visible supplies. There was very little doing in the share market, and share values were little altered. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Feb. 1		
11/9	Afric & Eur	11/9-12/0-0/3
7/4	Ang-A. Corn	7/9-8/0
½	Anglo-Fr'ch.	15/32-17/32*
3¼	Brakpan	3¼-3 5/16+1/32
6⅛	Cent. Mining	6⅛-6¾+¼
6/0	City Deep	5/9-6/3+0/3
2 5/32	Con. Goldf'ds	2 5/32-2 7/32+1/32
22/6	Cons. M.Reef	21/9-22/3
5/6	Con. M Sel...	4/9-5/0-0/3
8 1/16	Crown Mines	8 1/16-8⅛+1/32
2¾	Daggafont'n	2 25/32-2 29/32+1/32
20/0	Durban Deep	17/9-18/3+0/6
3 1/32	East Geduld	2 31/32-3 1/32-1/32
14/0	E.RandProp	13/9-14/0+0/3
4 1/16	Geduld	4-4⅛
10/3	Gelden Deep	10/0-10/6
¾	Gen. Mining	25/32-29/32
14/9	Govt. M. 5/	1 19/32-1 23/32+1/32
1 5/16	Gro'dvlei	1 5/32-1 7/32
21/3	Johan Invsts	21/3-22/3+0/3
5/0	Kleinfontein	4/3-5/3
9/6	Knight's	9/0-10/0
25/0	LanglaagteE	24/9-25/3
1 1/16	Meyer & Char	1-1 1/16
2 5/16	Modderfontn	2 5/16-2⅜
11/0	Modder B..	10/9-11/9+0/3
⅞	Modder Deep	17/3-18/3
1 11/16	Modder East	1⅝-1¾
2 17/32	New S. Areas	2 7/16-2 9/16
5/0	Nigel	3/16 5/16
16/6	Nourse	16/3 16/9
1/3	Oceana Con..	0/11½ 1/1½
2⅞	Rand Mines	2 27/32-2 29/32+1/32
28/0	Randfontein	27/9 28/0+0/3
10/3	Robin DeepB	10/0-10/3+0/1½
6/6	Rose Deep	6/3 6/9+0/3
3/7½	Simmer & J.	3/4½ 3/7½
5/6	S.A. Towns..	5/3 5/9
3 15/32	Springs	3⅜-3 7/16+1/32
15/6	Sth.-W. Af...	[illegible] 15/16
3 15/32	Sub Nigel..	3 11/16 3¾+1/32
3⅜	Trans.Del.B.	3¼ 3½
⅞	Trans. Con.L	27/32-29/32
2⅝	Union Corp	2 21/32-2 25/32
10/9	Van Ryn	10 0 11/0
1 1/16	Do. Deep..	1 1/32 1 3/32
1 1/32	Vereeniging.	1 1 1/16
2/0	Village Deep	2/3-2/9
11/6	West R. Con	11/4, 11/7½+0/1½
12/6	West Springs	12/3 12/9
4/9	Wit. Deep	4/6 5/6+0/3

RHODESIAN

M.U. Feb. 1		
3/9	BechuanaEx	3/7-4/3
2/9	B. M'Kubwa	2/7½-/10½
1 5/16	Cam & Motor	1 9/32-1 11/32
16/9	Char. B.S.A.	15/9-16/6+0/4½
14/6	Globe & Phœ	14/1½-14/7½
2/10½	GoldF.Rhod	2/9-3/0
1/7½	Loangwa ...	1/4½-1/7½
1 5/16	Lonely Reef.	⅜-⅞
1 1/16	Rezende	1 1/16-1 3/16
⅝	Rhod Katanga	½-⅝
3⅛	Rhokana Corp.	3⅛-3⅜+¼
7/4	Roan Antel(5/)	7/3 7/9+0/1½
1/9	Selukwe (7/6)	1/6-2/0
9/16	Sherw'd Star	17/32 19/32
3 1/32	Tangan. Con	3 1/32-3 3/32+1/32
2¾	Vic.FallsOrd	2 21/32-2 25/32
31/0	Do. Pref ..	1½-1⅝*
¾	Wankie Col.	11/16-¾
21/32	Zamb Expl.	19/32-21/32

DIAMOND.

9/0	Angola Dia.	8/6 9/6
2/3	Cn.D.S.W.A	2/0-3/0
3⅞	DeBeersDef	4-4¼+⅛
5⅞	Do. Pref ..	5 9/16-5 13/16-3/16
1 3/16	Jagersf'tein	13/16-⅞
2/0	N. Val.River	1/16-3/16
1½	Premier Pref	1-1½
3/3	West African	3/0-3/6

AUSTRALIAN.

5/16	Amal. Zinc...	¼-⅜*
12/6	B. Hill Prop	12/0 13/0
1 25/32	Do. South.	1 13/16-1 15/16
29/32	Elec.Zinc Pf.	⅞-1
7/9	Lake V. Star	7/7½ 8/1½+0/1½
15/0	Lake V. Inv.	1 1/16-1 3/16
10/6	Mount Isa	10/0-11/0
2 21/32	Nth. Bn.Hill	2⅝-2¾+1/16
13/3	Sth. Kalgurli	13/0 14/0
8/6	Sulphide Ord	8/3 9/3+0/3
10/3	Do. Pref...	10/0-11/0
8/7½	Wiluna Gold	8/0-9/0
24/0	Zinc Ord (10)	1⅛-1¼
2¾	Do. Pref...	2⅝-2⅞

WEST AFRICAN.

39/6	Ashanti(4/)	37/6 38/6*-0/3
5/9	Fanti Cons	5/3 6/3

TIN.

M.U. Feb. 1.		
2/6	Anglo-C. 10/)	2/6-3/0
6/0	Anglo-Orient	5/6-6/6
8/9	Do Pref ...	7/6-8/6
⅝	Aramayo ...	¾-⅞
4/0	Associa'd Tin	3/9-4/3
4/0	Bisichi	3/9-4/3
1 11/16	Gopeng	1 19/32 1 23/32
15/3	Ipoh	14/9 15/9
7/16	Kaduna Synd	5/16 7/16
5/0	Kamunting..	4/9 5/3*
1	Kram'tPulai	15/16 1
10/3	London Tin.	10/3 10/9+0/6
16/0	Malayan T.D	15/9 16/9
13/32	Naraguta ...	¼ ⅜
4/9	Pahang 5/..	4/0 5/0
5/0	Rambutan ..	¼-⅜
13/9	Renong	21/32-23/32
7/3	Siamese	7/0-8/0
3/9	Tavoy (4/) ...	3/9-4 3+0/3
13/3	Tronoh (5/	12/9-13 9

COPPER.

6/6	Messina	5/9-6/9-0/3
17/9	Mount Lyell	⅞ 15/16
3/9	Namaqua	3/3-4/3
14¾	RioTinto(£5)	14⅞-15⅛+⅛
2 9/16	Tharsis......	2 9/16-2 11/16

MISCELLANEOUS.

8/7½	Burma Corp	8/9-9/0+0/1½
9/3	Champ. Reef	9/0 9/6
4/0	Chos. Corp	5/32-[illegible]
1/9	Explor.(10/-)	1/9-2/3
2⅛	Min.Sepa't'n	2⅛-2⅜
7/0	Min.Crp.Can	6/0 7/0
8/0	Mysore (10/	8 0 9/0
18/9	Nundydroog	18 0-19/0+0/3
2/10½	Ooregum	2 9 3/9
9/0	Panama Corp	8 9-9/3-0/3
18/3	St. J.Del Rey	17/9-18/9
7/9	San Fr'isco .	7/0 8/0
6/3	Santa Gert	6/1½-6/7½
3/3	Tigon Ming.	2/9 3/9
6/3	Trepca 2/0..	6/0-6/6
14/6	Waihi Gold	14/0 15/0

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Ex bonus.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

FUNDS HEAVY. GUINNESS EASIER. GREAT SOUTHERN HARDER. INDUSTRIALS QUIET.

In Funds, National Loan eased ½ at 101, and Third ditto repeated 92¼. Land Bonds (small lots under £200) shed ⅝ at 89⅜, after 89¼. Consols were ½ easier at 55, and 5 per cent. War Loan put on 1/16 at 98 1/16, after 98 1/16. India 3½ per cent. fell 2⅜ at 55½.

National Bank unchanged at 44s. 6d.

Guinness were 3d. lower at 80s. 3d., after 80s. 3d. and 80s. 1½d., and the Pref. unaltered at 11⅝.

Cables Pref. lost ⅜ at 47½.

In Rails, Great Northern Ord. shed ⅜ at 10⅛. Great Southern Ord. rose ¼ at 7¼, after 7, the Pref. ⅛ at 20, the Guaranteed 1½ at 32½, and the Deb. repeated 44¼.

Dublin Tramways Pref. unaltered at 147s. 6d.

Among Industrials Bradford Dyers gained 4½d. at 17s. 10½d. and Courtaulds were 1½d. easier at 31s. 9d., after 31s. 7½d. "Bats" changed hands at 75s. 3d. and "Imps" hardened 10½d. at 80s. 9d. Lever 7 per cent. Pref. improved 6d. at 22s., after 21s. 10½d., and the 8 per cent. Pref. gave way 3d. at 20s. 6d. Unilever was 1½d. better at 28s. 9d., and Chartered B.S.A. declined 1s. 6d. at 17s. 3d.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Nat. Loan...(101½)	101	Bradford Dyers (17/6)	17/10½
Second Loan (103)	103b 103½a	B.A.T.	75/3
Third Loan...(92¼)	92¼	Calico Printers (7/9)	7/6b 8/-a
Do. Deed...(90¾)	92½b	Coats (39/9)	38/-b 38/6a
Land Bonds (small lots under £200) (90)	89½ *⅜	Courtaulds (31/10½)	31/7½ *1/9
Consols ......(55½)	55	Sewing Cottons	25/6b 26/6a
5% War Loan (98⅛)	98⅛ *1/16	Fine Spinners (15/6)	14/6b 15/-a
Funding Loan (87¾)	86½b 86¾a	Chemicals (15/-)	15/1½b 15/4½a
India 3½% Red. (57⅞)	55½	Do. Def. (4/4½)	4/6b 4/9a
National Bank (44/6)	44 6	Imperial Tobacco (79/10½)	80/9
Guinness (80/6)	80/3 *80/1½c *80/3	Lever 7% Pref. (21 6)	21/10½ *2/-
Do. Pref......(11⅝)	11⅝	Do. 8% Pf.(20/9)	20 6
Cables B.(11)	10½b 11½a	Unilever ...(28/7½)	28/9
Do. Pref......(48½)	47½	Do. N.V. (29/9)	29 9b 30 9a
G.N. Ord......(10½)	10⅛	Vickers...(8/8)	8 6b 8/9a
G.S. Ord. ....(7)	7 7¼	Chartered B.S.A. (18/9)	17/3
Do. Pref......(19⅞)	20	Shells (38/9)	41/-b 42/-a
Do. Guar......(31)	32½	Cork Gas	5¼
Do. Deb.......(44¼)	44¼	Ford Motors	31/10½
Dublin Tram Pref. (147/6)	147/6	India Tyre (G.B.) Def.	2/1
Alliance Gas (10⅝)	10½b 11a		
Bleachers (11/9)	10/9b 11/-a		

* Odd lot. a asked, b bid, c cash. (Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' rate (Sept. 28, 1931)	6½ %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	6 %
Deposits under £500	3 %
Deposits of £500 and under £2,000	3½ %
Deposits of £2,000 and over	4 %

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango		Feb. 15
Ticket		Feb. 16
Intermediate	Feb. 3	Feb. 17
Account Day	Feb. 4	Feb. 18

BELFAST.

Business done:—5 per cent. War Loan, 98½, ⅜, 1/16, 11/16, 1/16; 4½ per cent. Guaranteed Bonds, 92; Local Loans (3 per cent.), 62⅞; Westminster Bank, 48s. 6d.; Belfast Harbour 3½ per cent. (1953), 76; J. and P. Coats Ord., 39s. 6d.; York Street Flax Spinning Co. 6 per cent. Pref., 67s. 6d.; Guinness, 80s. 3d. Robinson and Cleaver Pref., 15s. 3d.; Imperial Tobacco, 80s.; Levers 7 per cent. Cum. Pref., 21s. 10½d.; Shell Transport, 41s. 9d.; do. First Pref., 8 11/16; Mexican Eagles, 7s. 3d.

CORK.

Cash and Co. Pref. buyers, 14s. 6d.; Cork Gas buyers, 5¼; Cork Corporation Old buyers 78, New buyers 65; John Daly and Co. Ord. buyers 52s., Debs. buyers 37; Gresham Hotels buyers; Harbour Board 4 p.c. Irredeemable buyers, 60; Imperial Hotel Ord. buyers, 22s. 6d.; Musgrave 6 p.c. Pref. buyers, 70s

IRISH RAILWAY TRAFFICS.

	Last Week. +Inc. or – Dec.	Total 4 Weeks. Decrease.
Gt. Southern	51,722–7,281	205,604–37,884
Gt. Northern	20,800–2,250	83,200–9,250
Co. Down	2,494+19	10,835–700

JANUARY TIN OUTPUTS.

Kamunting, 70 tons. Malaysiam, 8¼ tons.

UNEMPLOYED MAN'S SUICIDE.

The finding of an unemployed labourer dead in a house in Orr's terrace, Upper Clanbrassil street, Dublin, with a partly-empty tin of disinfectant fluid near, was described to the Dublin Coroner and a jury at an inquest held on Patrick McCarthy, aged 45, of 8 Orr's terrace, at the City Morgue yesterday.

Mary O'Hanlon, of 9 Orr's terrace, gave evidence that she closed the door of her room when she left for work on Monday morning, and on her return, shortly after 8 o'clock that night, she found McCarthy lying on the bed fully dressed.

Dr. Nightingale said that he was called to the house, and found that the man had been dead for several hours. The chin and mouth were burned, and there was a strong smell of disinfectant. A tin of disinfectant fluid, partly empty, was found on the floor by the bedside. A *post-mortem* examination revealed a quantity of the fluid in the stomach of the dead man. In the opinion of Dr. Nightingale death was due to shock, following the administration of a corrosive fluid.

The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence, and added that the corrosive was self-administered during temporary insanity.

Sir John Simon, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will leave London for Geneva on Friday and will speak at the Disarmament Conference on Monday.

THE MONEY MARKET

GOLD AND SILVER LOWER

Conditions remained easy in Lombard street yesterday, partly because of Monday's disbursements, and also of excess Treasury bill maturities. Short loans were obtainable early in the day at 3½ per cent., and towards the close were offered down to 3 per cent., while old day-to-day money was renewed at 4 per cent. The tendency of discount rates was steady, fine three months' bills being quoted at 4⅞ per cent. The new Treasuries were offered at 4¼ to 4 5/16 per cent. Tenders were received at the Bank of England for £2,000,000 Metropolitan Water Board twelve months' bills. Applications at £95 7s. received about 94 per cent., above in full. The average rate indicated is about 4⅝ per cent.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Sept. 20, 1931) 6%				
60 days (fine)	4¾	5½%		
3 months	4⅞	5¾%	Trade	6½ 7 %
4 "	4⅞	5¾%	"	6¾ 7 %
6 "	5	5¾%	"	6¾ 7 %

Loans to Brokers Day-to-day	4	2½%
for a week	5	4 %
Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call		4 %
Discount Houses at Call		4 %
at Notice		4¼%

Silver fell back ⅛d. on China, and speculative selling to 19⅝d. per ounce for spot, and 19 11/16d. for forward delivery. Gold was quoted 7d. lower at 119s. 7d. per ounce fine. About £430,000 was in the market yesterday, and it was all taken from abroad.

After opening well above Monday's closing levels, sterling, in terms of the principal gold currencies, cheapened steadily until just before the close, when a better tendency set in, so that final quotations were well above the lowest for the day. The dollar opened at 3.46⅛, and after appreciating to 3.45, finished at 3.45⅝, a net depreciation on the day of ⅜c. The Canadian dollar, however, was 3c. firmer on balance at 3.96. Francs were finally quoted at 87⅞, as compared with 87 11/16, while the Swiss rate rose by 1/32 fr. to 17 11/16. Reichsmarks finished at 14.57½, as against 14 9/16, and belgas at 24 11/16, as compared with 24⅝. The Dutch florin was 2c. cheaper on balance at 8.59. Pesetas further weakened to 43⅞, as compared with 42 11/16, but the Italian lira was ½ lira dearer on the day at 68⅝.

Both the Argentine dollar and Brazilian milreis were steady and unchanged. In the Far Eastern Section the Japanese rate rose by ⅛d. to 25⅝d.

Centre	February 2 Closing Rates		February 1 Closing Rates		Par Exch
New York	3.45½	3.46	3.44¾	3.45¼	4.86⅔
Montreal	3.95	3.97	3.98	4.00	4.86⅔
Amsterdam	8.57	8.61	8.55	8.59	12.10
Berlin	14.55	14.60	14½	14⅝	20.43
Brussels	24¾	24⅞	24.70	24.80	35.0
Copenhagen	18	18¼	18	18¼	18.159
Madrid	43¾	44	42¾	42⅞	25.22
Milan	68½	68¾	69	69¼	92.46
Oslo	18¼	18½	18¼	18½	18.159
Paris	87¾	88	87⅝	87⅞	124.21
Stockholm	17¾	18	17¾	18	18.159
Geneva	17 11/16	17¾	17⅝	17¾	25.22
Alexandria	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝	97⅞	97.5
Athens	260	280	260	280	375
Helsingfors	225	230	225	235	193.23
Lisbon	109½	110	109½	110	110
Prague	116¼	117	115¾	116¼	164.25
Vienna	30	34 nom	30	34 nom.	34.58½
Warsaw	30¼	31¼	30¼	31¼	43.38
B. Ayres	39¾	40	39¼	40	47.57⅝d
Lima 90 dys	12 20		12.25		17.38
Mexico*	8.83		8.83		9.76
M'video*	30½	31½ nom	30½	31½ nom	51d
Rio de Jan.	4⅛	4⅜	4⅛	4⅜	5.899
Valparaiso	28.75		29.00		40
Calcutta	18 5/32	18 5/32	18 5/32	18 5/32	18d
Hongkong	17¼	18 nom	17	18¼ nom	—
Kobe p.yn	25¼	26½	24⅝	24⅞	24.58
Shanghai*	22½	23¾ nom	22¾	24 nom	—
Singapore*	27¾	27 15/16	27¾	27 15/16	28d

* Rate quoted on London.

DUBLIN ARTISANS' DWELLINGS COMPANY.

THE FLOODS AT BRAY.

Mr. Laurence W. Martin presided at the seventy-sixth ordinary general meeting of the Dublin Artisans' Dwellings Company yesterday, at the offices, 12 and 13 South William street, Dublin.

The Chairman, moving the adoption of the directors' report and statement of accounts, which showed that the total rent received for the past year was £68,800, as compared with £67,104 in 1930, said that the increase was mainly due to the fact that the new houses at Infirmary road yielded in 1931 a full year's rent. Early in September the effects of the severe rain-storm caused the river Dargle to overflow its banks, flooding the company's houses in Little Bray to some extent. The injury done to the buildings was not very considerable, but, as the tenants suffered damage to their furniture, the directors felt justified in foregoing a week's rent, and in contributing to the fund that was raised on the occasion. The general reserve account had been substantially increased. The rents were satisfactorily collected. The population of the company's dwellings was 16,556. There was a balance of £42,530 at the credit of the net revenue account. Out of this sum an interim dividend of 3 per cent., free of tax, amounting to £8,112, was paid last July; £12,000 had been carried to the general reserve account, making it £128,000; and £5,000 to the depreciation fund, making it £240,000; leaving £17,419 to be carried forward.

Mr. F. D. Darley seconded the motion, and it was passed unanimously.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. V. C. Le Fanu, a dividend at the rate of 3 per cent., making the total dividend for the year 6 per cent., was declared.

Mr. Le Fanu and Mr. Cecil Pim were re-elected directors; and Mr. P. H. Grierson was re-appointed auditor.

On the motion of Mr. John Rochford, Bray, the thanks of the shareholders were passed to the directors and staff for the excellent manner in which the business was carried on.

The directors present were:—Messrs. L. W. Martin, Frederick D. Darley, Victor C. Le Fanu, Cecil Pim, Thomas S. Martin, and Edgar A. Pim; and Mr. M. F. Flood, M.A., secretary and accountant.

Death from natural causes was returned at an inquest yesterday on Francis Walsh, aged 36, a compositor, residing at Pickford terrace, Upper Sheriff street, Dublin, who died suddenly at his home on Monday. Medical evidence showed that Walsh died from heart failure, following congestion of the lungs.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

CONSOLIDATED BANK NOTE ISSUE.

The following is a return furnished to the Minister for Finance by the Currency Commission of consolidated bank notes outstanding during four-weekly period ended on 9th January, 1932:—

Bank.	Quota.	Daily Average.
Bank of Ireland	£1,760,000	£880,000
Hibernian Bank	550,000	550,000
National Bank	1,318,000	921,712
Northern Bank	180,000	116,707
Munster & Leinster	900,000	900,000
Provincial Bank	649,000	463,921
Royal Bank	273,000	273,000
Ulster Bank	370,000	244,393
Total	£6,000,000	£4,349,733

The above figures do not include notes deemed to be consolidated bank notes in accordance with Section 60 (4) of the Currency Act, 1927. On the 9th January, 1932, these amounted in the aggregate to £1,630,806. This figure on December 12 was £1,647,501.

LEGAL TENDER NOTE FUND.

The amount of legal tender notes outstanding on January 30, 1932, was £6,794,705 10s., as compared with £6,840,479 10s. on January 23, 1932. The amount issued during the week was £123,331 10s., and the amount redeemed £169,105 10s.

DUTCH EAST INDIES AND RUBBER RESTRICTION.

A Buitenzorg (Dutch East Indies) telegram says:—The head official of the Agricultural Department is leaving for Holland to explain the problems connected with rubber restriction. The journey is being undertaken at the special request of the Dutch Colonial Minister.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK.

Mr. H. D. C. Jones has been appointed senior London manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, in succession to the late Sir Newton Stabb. Mr. R. E. N. Padfield has also been appointed junior manager.

STRENGTH OF OIL SHARES.

One of the redeeming features of the Stock Markets recently has been the firmness of Oil shares. At one time yesterday Shell Ord. rose to over 2 1/16 and Paris paid up to 2 1/16 for the bearer shares. This support from Paris was accompanied by a report that some time ago Japan placed a big order for oil with the Shell group. As previously stated, rumours are current of an impending rise in the price of petrol, whilst there appears to be some hope of an international agreement in regard to production. The market generally was firm yesterday, with Continental buying also of the two Eagle issues, but the best prices were not quite maintained. Probably this section was helped by the better tone in Wall street following the 10 per cent. cut in railway wages.

COATS ANTICIPATIONS.

The reason for the relapse in J. and P. Coats shares yesterday seems to be bearish dividend talk. The company is due to declare its fourth quarterly dividend within the next week or so, and there are fears in Glasgow that, as was the case last year, this declaration will also be the final for the year. The market is not looking for a bonus on this occasion. It will be recalled that the bonus was dropped last year for the first time over a fairly long period. The company has already paid three quarterly dividends—one of 9d. per share and two of 4½d. per share. General expectation is that the fourth quarterly will also be 4½d. per share, making 9⅜ p.c. for the year.

FUTURE OF PANAMA CORPORATION.

With the object of avoiding the losses hitherto incurred through the depreciation in sterling in transmitting working capital to Panama, the directors of the Panama Corporation, Ltd., have formulated a scheme, providing for the transfer of the undertaking to a company to be formed under Canadian law. Holders of the 8 per cent. Debenture Stock will receive $500 of similar debenture stock in the Canadian company for each £100 stock held, and holders of the £1 shares are to exchange them for no par value shares. It is pointed out the advantages are obvious, when it is considered that the Corporation requires very extensive further finance for the development of the properties, and that at the present rate of exchange a loss of practically 33 1-3 per cent. would be incurred on any capital raised in sterling. A meeting will be held in London on February 25.

MOTORS AND TEXTILES.

BIRMINGHAM.

Very little business in Motor shares and tendency rather easy. Fords and Leylands slightly lower. Austins still firm.

Austins	25/3	Lucas	29/6
Do. Prefd.	11/9	Rolls	30/6
Bluemels	16/3	Rovers	3/-
Components	2/-	Singers	7/4½
Dennis	18/-	S.T.D.	0/9
Enfields	10/9	Standards	25/3
Fords	31/3	Triumphs	7/9
Guys	2/7½	Dunlops	13/-
Humbers	8/-	Rileys	30/6
Leylands	31/4½		

MANCHESTER.

Textiles met with a sluggish demand.

Bleachers	10/6-11/-	Courtaulds	31/3-31/9
Calicos	7/6-7/9	Dunlops	12/9-13/3
Dyers	17/9-18/3	Turner & Newall	26/6-27/-
Cottons	26/27/-		
Spinners	14/9-15/-	Dobson & Barlow	8/6-9/6
"Slubbers"	2/9-3/3		
Coats	38/3-38/9	Wall Paper Def.	24/9-25/3
Velvets	13/3-13/9		

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING BILL.

EFFORT TO PRESERVE AMENITIES.

From Our Parliamentary Correspondent.
WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

When the House of Commons to-day reassembled after the Christmas recess it was crowded in every part, except the Labour benches, where, at the outset, there were not more than a dozen members.

Sir E. Hilton-Young (Minister of Health), in moving the second reading of the Town and Country Planning Bill, hoped that the measure would be regarded as non-controversial. There was a demand, he said, for a bill of this character from all those engaged in local government work. It was a local, and not a centralising, bill, and its main object was to give to local authorities powers to exercise reasonable foresight in planning the development of their localities.

Under the bill, the authorities would be empowered to apply their planning schemes not only to undeveloped land, but to land already built over. In regard to the country, it was highly desirable that its amenities should not be destroyed. Industrialism, when it spread from the towns to the country, would be compelled to take reasoned and ordered lines, so as to preserve, as far as possible, the beauties of the locality.

Sir Stafford Cripps, on behalf of the Labour Party, said that they would give the bill their whole-hearted support.

Sir J. Walker Smith, Conservative member for Barrow-in-Furness, moved the rejection of the bill on the ground that it was both unnecessary and premature. Local authorities, he said, already had sufficient powers to effect the purposes of the bill, and he objected to the whole of the country being placed under the sterilising restrictions of the Ministry of Health.

The motion for rejection was seconded by the Marquess of Hartington. The local authorities themselves, he said, were the greatest offenders in the matter of vandalism.

The amendment was rejected, the bill was read a second time, and the House agreed to the financial resolution.

DUNDALK FOOTBALL CLUB, LTD.

The following new companies have been registered in the Free State:—

Dundalk Association Football Club, Ltd. Names and descriptions of subscribers to Memorandum and Articles of Association:—Peadar Halpin, 14 Vincent avenue, Dundalk, cooper; John Ballantine, 15 Jocelyn street, Dundalk, bookmaker; Samuel Robert Prole, 10 Brook street, Dundalk, railway clerk; Patrick Gallagher, 1 St. Mary's road, Dundalk, turner; Joseph McGrath, Stapleton House, Dundalk, accountant; James Devlin, 42 Dublin street, Dundalk, commercial traveller; Thomas King, Barrack street, Dundalk, merchant; William Hill, 1 Park Villas, The Demesne, Dundalk, railway clerk; James Cecil Galbraith, Demesne, Dundalk, railway clerk; Patrick J. Casey, 3 Park Villas, Dundalk, stocktaker.

T. J. Cullen, Ltd. Nominal capital £5,000, divided into 5,000 shares of £1 each. Subscribers of one share each:—Thomas J. Cullen, 9 Ormond road, Rathmines, Dublin, wholesale clothing manufacturer, and Elizabeth Cullen, of the same address, married.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY.

"Pickwick" in French : February the Unfortunate : The Starling.
A Papal Villa : The Stage Coach Crisis.

An Ill-used Month.

I have often thought that February is an unfortunate month, in more ways than one. It is usually blamed for wet weather, but earns no praise should it be fine, since, according to a Scottish proverb, "all the other months of the year curse a fair February." January and February were introduced into the Roman calendar by Numa Pompilius, who arranged that February should have only twenty-nine days, except in leap year, when it was to have thirty. When Augustus chose to add a thirty-first day to August, in order to confer dignity on his own particular month, he took it from February. Again, in the modern arrangement, it was found necessary to drop a day out of every century, with the exception of those of which the ordinal number could be divided by four, and the calendar-makers turned to February again. It had only twenty-eight days in 1800 and 1900, for example, although they were, in the ordinary sense, leap years, but it will have twenty-nine in the year 2000.

"Pickwick" in French.

In a second-hand bookshop some days ago I happened to pick up "The Pickwick Papers," translated into French by one M. Grolier. Having in mind a friend who is studying that language assiduously at present, I bought the book at a very modest sum. Since then I have found myself engaged in a long controversy about it. My friend thinks, for instance, that the fat boy's famous remark to old Mrs. Wardle, "I wants to make your flesh creep," has been weakened with "*Je veux vous faire frissonner.*" While this may be so, there are other passages where M. Grolier has been, if anything, overzealous. Captain Boldwig's command, "Wheel him (Mr. Pickwick) to the devil" for instance, becomes "*Roulez-le à tous les diables.*"

An Unwelcome Visitor.

A few days ago, writes a correspondent, I was strolling along the old railway line in the neighbourhood of Shanganagh, when my attention was attracted by the large number of birds scattered along the seashore. There were several companies of starlings, innumerable wagtails, and others barely visible, except when they hopped about in the shingle. It was a calm evening, with a cloudy, but unruffled, sky, and no sound, save the gentle lapping of the tide. Suddenly, as I watched, there was a great flutter among the starlings. They began to circle about, very low at first, but gradually rising in spirals. Looking in the direction of their ascent, I saw, hovering above them on widespread wings, the sinister cause of the commotion. It was a hawk—probably, I should imagine, a kestrel, from the way in which it hung, almost motionless, in mid-air. The starlings screamed as they rose higher and higher, until they hid the hawk from view; and then, apparently, the hunter became the hunted; for the whole community moved inland, and disappeared in the neighbouring woods. The kestrel is usually on the look-out for solitary individuals, but finds discretion the better part of valour when he is faced with a whole flock of birds. He usually makes for the woods, where he can make good his escape, but I understand that instances have been recorded where a hawk has been forced out to sea, and borne down by sheer weight of numbers.

Without a Struggle.

So much has been written about struggling authors and their efforts to sell their first brain-child—it has even been the theme of many plays and novels—that the other side of the picture may be interesting. I am indebted to an American friend for this story. A young man recently decided to become an author. Before he had finished the first chapter of the book which he had begun to write, he was called upon by a representative of one of the leading publishing houses, who not only stated that his firm was anxious to publish his book, but offered a cheque for a large amount in advance royalties. "But I've only just started to write the book," protested the young man. "Wouldn't you prefer to wait until it is completed?" "No," replied the publisher's representative, "we want your book and we are ready to pay for it." The young man is Gene Tunney, who, to paraphrase an old saying, hopes to prove that the typewriter is mightier than the glove.

A Papal Villa.

Some time ago I commented on the fact that Pope Pius XI., who on Saturday next will celebrate the tenth anniversary of his election to the Pontificate, had decided upon the establishment of a model farm at the Papal villa of Castel Gandolfo. Now it is announced that during the summer the Pope will resume the custom abandoned for sixty years, and will spend the warm months at this estate. At the moment some six hundred workmen are engaged in repairing the villa which, of course, forms an integral part of the Vatican State, and enjoys all the rights and immunities reserved to that State. It is in a very bad state of repair, having been virtually uninhabited since 1870, and lacks many modern conveniences. Some portions of the villa are being entirely rebuilt, and a new wing is being added to provide bedrooms and reception rooms for the increased numbers of the Papal Court. All the floors are being relaid, the roof is being renewed, walls are being reinforced, and new bathrooms and a new heating plant are being installed. Signor Marconi's new system of wireless telephone, which uses ultra short waves, will be applied in a practical fashion between the Vatican and the Papal villa.

Historical Repetitions.

That history repeats itself in the evolution of transport, as in most other things, is only too apparent in some current industrial problems. The seventeenth century saw a violent outcry against the new hackney coaches on the part of the Thames watermen, who saw their custom and livelihood going to the roads. In the 1830's the road coaches feared and resented the rise of the railways. Now the 1930's witness the clash between a new form of road transport and this long-standing monopoly. The influence of the seventeenth century stage coach on social custom, as indicated in the following contemporary plaint, which I came across the other day, might almost (but not quite) apply to our own motor age:

> "These stage coaches make gentlemen come to London upon every small occasion, which otherwise they would not do but upon urgent necessity; nay, the conveniency of the passage makes their wives often come up, who rather than come such long journeys on horseback, would stay at home. Here, when they come to town, they must needs be in the mode, get fine clothes, go to plays and treats, and get such a habit of idleness and love of plasure that they are uneasy ever after at being at home, and unfit to look after their country affairs"

It is not too far-fetched to suggest that long before another century has passed the controversy will be revived, not from water, road, or rail, but from the air.

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DUBLIN FRENCH SOCIETY LECTURE.

Mr. J. D. A. Johnson, LL.D. (vice-president), Professor Chauviré (lecturer) and Sir Robert Tate (president) photographed in the Hotel Russell, Dublin, yesterday.

BANK OF IRELAND.

RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB DANCE.

The Aberdeen Hall of the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, was crowded last night when the annual dance of the Bank of Ireland Rugby Football Club took place. The arrangements for the dance were in the hands of a capable committee, and the function proved most enjoyable.

Among many pretty frocks were noticed—Mrs. Manning, who wore a fashionable gown of floral taffeta; Miss Jones, in a graceful white satin frock. Miss D. Carey's pretty beige lace frock had a coatee to match; a distinctive claret coloured satin frock was worn by Miss Dilworth. Miss Claire Fahy's gown was of coffee-coloured lace, while Miss Fahy chose a black and white beaded gown. Black velvet, relieved with white gardenias, was worn by Miss Stephens. Miss Wright was wearing a gown of floral frilled taffeta. Miss Kavanagh wore a becoming green velvet gown. Miss Huet was in an attractive black net frock. Miss M. Joyce favoured a pretty saxe blue satin frock. Almond green georgette was worn by Miss Peggy Dallaghan, and Miss Simington wore a brown floral chiffon frock.

Mrs. D. Malcolmson's lovely gown was of white satin. Mrs. Falkiner came in a smart black lace toilette. Cream lace was worn by Mrs. Boothman, while Mrs. Deane's elegant gown was of white satin, and Miss Cynthia Carroll wore green mittens with her charming gown of emerald green georgette.

THE ATTENDANCE.

Also present were:—

Messrs. Philip O'Connell, W. Johnston, H. L. Wills, A. Harwood, K. Carroll, C. T. Allison, W. E. Cox, S. Quaile, D. M. Hogan, C. H. Farmer, F. S. Poff, R. McConkey, E. J. Dyer, D. W. Harris, E. A. Dwyer, P. J. Fahy, S. Etherton, E. W. Pelton, E. Barton, N. Gilbert, F. W. Mitchell, J. H. Ferris, W. N. Foster, G. J. Cole, H. V. Batt, W. Harkness, P. Wills, R. Casey, T. F. Hennessy, A. C. Carberry, O. L. Mahony, N. P. Davin, H. W. Malseed, G. Macbeth, C. R. A. Graves, D. C. Fitzpatrick, Dr. McMenamin, Messrs. O. G. Giddings, J. E. Lyon, D. C. Pickeman, J. E. Behan, R. W. Jeffares, J. Lyndon, D. P. Manning, F. J. Lloyd, C. R. R. Magrath, P. G. Moorhead, Dr. Doyle, Messrs. J. Harkness, A. W. McCombe, W. J. Howden, J. O'K. White, J. J. Carleton, W. G. McCormack, W. V. Harley, O. M. Regan, J. E. Yeates, F. Regan, K. Daniell, Dermot Malcolmson, H. J. Cole, W. A. Ryan; Miss Swanton, Miss Jones, Miss Buchanan, Miss Thompson, Miss K. Huet, Miss M. Huet, Miss Ferguson, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Chambers, Miss Alexander, Miss Marchant, Mrs. Doyle, Mrs. Kevin O'Higgins, Miss Devitt, Miss Lyndon, Miss C. Fahy, Miss Nugent, Miss M. Fahy, Miss Steevens, Miss Pim, Miss West, Miss R. McConkey, Mrs. Daniell, Mrs. P. Wills, Mrs. Regan, Mrs. Harley, Mrs. W. G. McCormack, Miss Spicer, Mrs. Crockford, Mrs. O'Brien, Miss Daly.

"THE MERCHANT OF VENICE."

SIR FRANK BENSON AT THE GAIETY.

The rhetoric with which Sir Frank Benson invests Shylock and the wealth of gesture which goes to his portrayal, would have done credit to a young actor in the first flush of Shakespearian repertory. Both appealed to a large audience at the Gaiety Theatre last night when Sir Frank appeared once more as Shylock in "The Merchant of Venice," and his performance was rapturously applauded.

Despite the applause it may be said that Shylock is not one of Sir Frank Benson's best *rôles*. Nor was he well supported by the company generally; with the exception of one or two of its members the cast seemed somewhat amateurish and unused to the parts they played. This was unexpected, because many members of the cast were in the play when it was last staged in Dublin two years ago. The exceptions were Mr. T. G. Bailey, whose Gobbo was really excellent, and Miss Jane Bacon, who made a very fine Portia. In the Court Scene Miss Bacon was at her best, but that scene would have been more acceptable if those taking part had remembered occasionally that Portia was not the presiding judge.

To-day "The Tempest" will be played at a matinée, and "Hamlet" in the evening.

CONSECRATION OF A BISHOP.

A group photographed at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, yesterday, after the consecration of the Ven. William Hardy Holmes, LL.D., as Bishop of Tuam, Killala and Achonry. In front (left to right): The new bishop, the Primate (who performed the ceremony) and Dr. Orr (Bishop of Meath). Behind: Dr. Barton (Bishop of Kilmore), Dr. Grierson (Bishop of Down, Connor and Dromore), Lord Justice Best (Chancellor of the Diocese), the Rev. D. G. Allman (Primate's chaplain), Dr. MacManaway (Bishop of Clogher) and Dr. Peacocke (Bishop of Derry).

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

HOUSING AND BEAUTY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—Your leading article termed "Housing and Beauty" brings to mind the able plea put forward more than a year ago by Dr. Bodkin for the recognition of art as an aid to national prosperity. Within the last year we have seen the end of the building strike, the passage of the Housing Act, and we have heard much talk of town-planning. We have also seen, all over the face of what we would wish to call our beautiful country, houses and cottages cropping up in their thousands. These recent buildings have seldom been a success artistically; the beautiful one—nay, even the passable one—is the exception, and many are positive blots on the scene.

The Government has wisely instituted a Censorship of Films—why not a Censorship of Buildings? Unpleasant "movies" fade, in filmlike fashion, from the normally healthy mind, but ugliness in structure cannot fade; it remains, alas! a perpetual and depressing monument to our standard of taste. Could not the Government be asked to form a committee of architects and artists, etc., for the better designing of our buildings? To this committee an intending builder would have to submit a description of the site and finished drawing of the hut, cottage, house or business-place before he could proceed with its construction. It is possible that some society would offer a prize for the most approved example of its class yearly.

Your article remarks that the Free State has a comparatively clean slate—to many people it seems already too late to save our Dublin beauty spots. Howth and Killiney have, indeed, suffered from the multifarious depredations of any kind of building and any kind of builder. There remain, however, large tracts in the south and west which might for all time be a veritable paradise of scenery if artistic building and planting were alone allowed.

It is interesting to note how very universal taste is among educated people. For instance, if Dublin examples are taken, Ailesbury road and Eglinton road are roads with good houses; yet, among a census of indifferent opinions it is likely that No. 7 in the one and No. 20 in the other would be considered to possess the most charming exterior. Again, to take an example of the unpleasing, few persons would be found to admire the back of Milltown Station. One remembers sadly how many of the new Irish houses which are just removed above the single-storied cottage boast the same gaunt proportions as this severe little station.

The writer had the opportunity lately of comparing the country between Cork and Killarney with large areas in Sussex, Hampshire, Devon and Cornwall. It was almost tragic to an Irishwoman to note how our much more lovely scenery has to endure a greater disfigurement in its buildings than anything observed in the English shires. This refers to new buildings entirely, as it would not be fair to compare the lovely and prosperous old Devonshire cottages with our poor, though sometimes equally picturesque, Irish cabins. The Irish builder does not seem to be able to break away from the most forbidding and box-like house. Land in the south-west is not a consideration; yet the houses are reared into the air in upright oblongs. If turned the other way, the house would at once present the pleasanter aspect of a spreading bungalow. On the same principle, a window, if put into a room so as to attain the greatest possible width rather than the greatest height, is generally more beautiful, and, under most conditions, gives as much light. There may be more cost in the extra roof-space required for the construction of wide-spreading houses rather than tall, narrow ones, but stairs would be saved and, perhaps, deeper foundations.

Your correspondent of January 28th contrasted our stately Georgian houses with the "bungaloid growths" of to-day. Though the former give dignity and a restful appearance to a city, their imitation in the suburbs often produces only a gloomy grimness, and, if perched in a wild and country setting, they seem altogether unsuitable. A single Georgian house requires at least the well-kept park of an ancient mansion. One notices a lack of imagination in the arrangement of the houses in the Irish villages. They lie in parallel rows. In south-eastern France the houses abut in zigzag formation on the street, while an irregularity of the roof-outline gives a mediæval aspect to many of the foreign villages. In one important respect our Irish villages are fortunate—their streets are generally very wide.

Of late money has been claimed for the preservation of beauty spots—one hears this term on all sides—but very seldom is the prevention of ugliness mentioned. It would seem impossible to preserve the one without making laws to prevent the other. This prevention would probably be a simpler and less expensive process than the purchase by the State of ancient or historic places.

It is probable that in Europe and America the countries of Switzerland and California respectively conjure up visions of the most lovely of scenery. The writer has seen both these great countries, and was, perhaps, even more impressed by the beauty of the dwellings and the cleverness of the way in which these enhanced the loveliness of the scene than even by the stupendous scenery itself. Nothing can be more lovely than our wild west and south, with their ever-changing colour effects. How one prays that the traveller to come will be charmed, instead of horrified, by the dwelling-places with which this much-loved land is covered. Possibly the day will come when art in architecture will be considered the most important of all the arts. A house is a necessity of life. The street is for all mankind; so is the countryside. Art in architecture is perforce the most striking, as it is also on the largest scale. A masterpiece of painting must be enclosed within walls and appeals to the few, and even these few must seek it. Even when our great pictures are housed satisfactorily, only a few will be found to visit them; the same applies to sculpture to a certain extent.

Art in gardening, though admirably pursued in our public parks and private gardens, is almost only for the leisured class and to be enjoyed during only about half the year in these northern climates. All the world walks abroad, and the day may not be far off when no new road can be built or planned without every householder giving an agreement to plant and keep each his almond tree or laburnum or rare flowering shrub, as the case may be, before his house, or, as is so often seen in America, his strip of garden. How pleasant to walk in one's native town under an avenue of almonds in April, and laburnums in May, or, as in practical Germany, along roads planted on either side with apple or pear trees. Loveliest of all, in some sheltered places the path might lead under visions of the flowering double cherry. At present our suburbs boast of a few good avenues of limes and horse-chestnuts, but these are allowed to be so drastically cut at their so-called winter-pruning that they are left looking like a miserable reminder of the bomb-shattered trees of the war zone in France.

Mr. Bodkin laid much stress in his lecture of a year ago on the importance of the artistic sense in life. He considered that an artistically successful nation could prosper in trade. Art in architecture would certainly attract the tourist "trade." Art affects our surroundings, and these affect health and happiness and thus morality. It would be difficult to associate crime or madness with an artistic, cleanly, well-appointed home. Mr. Bodkin remarked that the interiors of Dutch houses were as attractive as their exteriors. Many Dutch people have visited South Africa and more have seen Holland. A woman will "keep" a home that has a pretty exterior much more readily than one which resembles a prison. We have lately seen pictures in the papers of Dartmoor, and those who have ever passed by Princetown will remember that the prison houses at a distance are not unlike the aspect of many an Irish village—in fact, the buildings look rather better than the cheerless ones that house the majority of our people. One is reminded that our slum-dwellers in the houses of the departed great are often healthier than those in more modern slums. All who pass along dismal streets learn to make their eyes avoid the nuisance of ugliness, but the feeling of depression remains. Much, of course, is due to the murkiness of our soot-laden atmosphere. If the air of our cities becomes clear and clean some day, with the help of science, and if our State grows rich, we may rise to the plan adopted in California and, no doubt, in other parts of wealthy America—the offending houses are pulled down by companies of so-called "wreckers." How much more sensible to combine beauty at once with the modern necessities of building!—Yours, etc.,

"CITIZENESS."

Dublin, February 2nd, 1932.

THE LAND ANNUITIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The three aspects through which Fianna Fail asks the electors to consider their case for the retention of the land annuities are all equally dishonest, but the most absurd is the "historical aspect." This was expounded again by Senator Comyn in the Senate on Thursday last. If it were not for the fact that many people are so ignorant of Irish history as to be deceived by it, I would not seriously discuss it. The Fianna Fail contention is that, the land of Ireland having been confiscated in the seventeenth century, the people who lived on as tenants under the new owners were not bound to pay rent, as they by right owned the land, and hence are not bound to pay back the holders of Irish Land Stock who lent them the money to buy out the holdings on which they happened to live. Now, who are, or were, they?

Let us begin at the beginning. The prehistoric inhabitants of Ireland were principally dwarfish, dark people, called Firbolgs and Picts, who successively used stone, copper and bronze weapons. About the fourth century, B.C., there came Celts, or Gaels, as they are called in Ireland, who, with their superior iron, broke the heads of the savage people they found here, or drove them gradually to the extreme west, where it is said traces of them may still be found. These Celts were proud people, who set up an ascendancy of the worst description. They held the country intact until certain Scandinavians raided their coasts and established themselves around it during the eighth, ninth and tenth centuries. With these the Celts carried on a continuous warfare, but they intermarried when the pagans had become Christians. Then in the twelfth century came the Normans, with their military organisation and religious zeal, and conquered a great part of the country. Then the English followed them, and brought the whole country into subjection to England. It thus remained until 1921.

The English carried out several confiscations, notably those under the Tudors, James I. and the Commonwealth. In these confiscations the descendants alike of Norman, old English and Gaelic were deprived of their lands, and new English were planted on them. Sometimes these confiscations were largely redistributions, as in the case of North Wexford under James I., when Gaelic chieftains showed themselves quite as ready as any hungry undertaker "to grab" the land of their poorer brothers and become landlords. The right of conquest has always been maintained, and on that principle the map of Europe was remade after the Great War.

Who will decide who are the rightful owners of the land of Ireland? The only logical conclusion to the Fianna Fail historical aspect is to go back to the Picts and Firbolgs. This is the stuff by which Fianna Fail hopes to delude the people to get their votes.—Yours, etc.,

KATHLEEN A. BROWNE.

Rathronan Castle, Wexford.
February 2nd, 1932.

AN APPEAL TO POLITICIANS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The date is fixed for a general election. Would it be too much to ask the patriots of all shades of political opinion to refrain from disfiguring the walls, bridges, and buildings—even ancient castles are not spared—with "slogans" of their favourite candidates? These abominations in whitewash and tar still make hideous our countryside—an aftermath of the last electoral contests. Surely this is not a very convincing proof to the visitor from other countries of how the native loves his land and of how his soul delights in adorning it.—Yours, etc.,

"A COUNTY-LOVER."

Co. Clare, February 1st, 1932.

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

JUNIOR SOPHISTER EXAMINATION.

The following candidates have passed the Junior Sophister Term examination at Trinity College, Dublin:—

Abernethy, Walter Mervyn; Anderson, John Charles Peebles; Archer, Aubrey Howard Leslie; Armstrong, William Barry Jeffares; Batchen, Donald Ernest; Beacom, Thomas Ernest; Buttimore, Robert John; Carley, Robert William; Carson, Thomas; Coates, Norman Henry; Cooke, Eleanor Maude; Craig-Martin, Paul Ferrant; Davies, Gwendoline; Ditchburn, Stanley John; Dunlop, George; Dunne, William James; French, Raymond Arthur; Friel, Geoffrey Manning Stewart; Glenn, William James; Greene, Gordon Maurice; Hall, Job Frederick; Harris, Sheila Marguerite Annette; Harvey, Malcolm Edward Irvine; Howe, John Malcolm Wood; Jeffers, Arthur William; Jackson, Paul Alexander; Kerr, Cecil Maurice; Landy, Andrew; Lee, William George; Lefroy, Jeffry Ardern; Lindsay, Kathleen Edith; McFarland, Rachel Constance Irene; McGahey, Norman Wilson; Medcalf, John Deverell; Mulligan, John Henry; Noble, William Archibald Cecil; Parker, William Samuel; Penney, Herbert Richard; Plant, Mary Evelyn; Quirke, Arthur Gerrard; Reid, Herbert Frederic McCune; Richmond, William Charles Mervyn; Stirling, Gwynne Arthur Chatham; Watts, Sidney Robert Colstan; Wells, Mary Wilhelmina; Wright, Caroline Haffield.

DUBLIN FRENCH SOCIETY.

At a meeting of the Dublin French Society held yesterday evening in the Russell Hotel, St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Professor Roger Chauviré, B.ès L., gave an informal lecture on a recently published French novel, entitled "Vol de Nuit," or "Night Flight."

Sir Robert Tate, President of the Society, presided, and a debate in French followed on the question as to "whether it is better to be polite than to be sincere."

STAMPS OF THE WEEK.

NEW ZEALAND AIR STAMPS.

The Mint Stamp Company, 74 Grafton street, Dublin, send us for illustration the following:—

NEW ZEALAND—1932 Air Mail, 3d., 4d., 7d. (Set 1s. 8d.)

Ditto—1932, Charity, 1d. plus 1d. Vermillion, 2d. plus 1d. Blue. (Pair 9d.)

PORTUGUESE INDIA — St. Francis Xavier Exhibition—1R. blue green; 2R. purple brown; 6R. purple; 1½T. yellow brown; 2T. blue, 2½T. carmine. (Set of 6, 1s.).

IRISH FREE STATE PRODUCE.

EXHIBIT AT BRITISH INDUSTRIES FAIR.

A representative display of Irish Free State products, arranged by Mr. Dulanty, Free State High Commissioner in London, will be included in the Empire Marketing Board's exhibit at the British Industries Fair, which opens on the 22nd inst. at Olympia, London, and at Castle Bromwich, Birmingham.

When the British Industries Fair was established by the Department of Overseas Trade in 1915, it was confined to a display in London only, the number of exhibitors was under 600, and the space occupied was 88,000 square feet. Year by year it has grown in size and importance. In 1931 the number of exhibitors in the London and Birmingham sections exceeded 2,200, and the space occupied was just under 600,000 square feet.

This year there will be three separate sections of the Fair, each opening on 22nd February:—

(a) **At Olympia, London,** where the "lighter" industries are shown—*e.g.*, fancy goods, leather, pottery and glass, jewellery and silverware, paper and stationery, chemicals, etc. This section closes on 3rd March.

(b) **At Castle Bromwich, Birmingham,** where the "heavier" industries are shown—*e.g.*, engineering, machinery, power plant, heating, lighting and cooking appliances, building and decorating, electrical plant, with new sections for cycles and motor cycles, road-making and quarrying plant, etc. This section closes on 4th March.

(c) **At the White City, London,** where the most representative display of British textiles ever yet staged under one roof will be held. This section closes on 5th March.

ON THE WIRELESS

COMPOSITIONS OF COL. F. BRASE.

The thirteenth of the B.B.C. Symphony Concerts will be broadcast from the Daventry National Station at 8.15 to-night. The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra, at the Queen's Hall, London, will be conducted by Nikolai Malko, with Arthur Catterall, leader. The programme will consist of: Overture, "Ivan the Terrible" (Rimsky-Korsakov), by the orchestra; Concerto in D for violin and orchestra, Szigeti and orchestra (Prokofiev); Fantasy, "Night on St. John's Mountain" (Mussorgsky); and, in Part II. at 9.20, Symphony, No. 5, in E minor (Tchaikovrsky). This programme of Russian music is an unusually fine contribution to this excellent series of concerts, and one which will further enhance the Symphony Orchestra's reputation for distinctive musical broadcasts. There is other good music on the North Regional programme, which includes an organ recital by G. D. Cunningham from the Town Hall, Birmingham. In the evening there is a programme by the Northern Studio Orchestra, directed by John Bridge. The Dublin Station will commence a broadcast at 8 o'clock that is certain to be popular—the No. 1 Army Band, conducted by Colonel F. Brasé. The programme will consist of the compositions of Colonel Fritz Brasé. The full programme will consist of: Overture, Military Festival; Serenade in D flat; Intermezzo, Pierrette; Tango Expressionen; Rhapsody, "Come Back to Erin"; Irish Rhapsody No. 2; Valse Inspirations, and R.D.S. Bi-Centenary March.

COLONEL FRITZ BRASE.

OTHER ATTRACTIONS.

DUBLIN.
8.0—No. 1 Army Band, conducted by Colonel F. Brasé. 9.0—George Hill (baritone). 9.15—Eily Murnaghan (soprano).

BELFAST.
3.30—An Orchestra Concert.

NORTH REGIONAL.
1.15—Organ Recital. 6.30—Northern Studio Orchestra. 9.15—The Nit Wits in Africa Shrieks.

NATIONAL.
8.15—B.B.C. Symphony Concert.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

DUBLIN 2 RN—(413 metres).
1.30-2.0—Time, Stock Exchange List, Weath and Gramaphone Concert.
6. 0—Gramaphone Concert.
6.15—Uair i dTir na nOg.
7. 0—Talk on Nervous Children, Fran Meredith.
7.10—"The World's Cooks" Series: Curries fr India, Merry Lee.
7.20—News.
7.30—Time.
7.30—Gaedhilg.
7.45—German.
8. 0—No. 1 Army Band (conductor, Colonel Brasé)—A programme of Colonel F Brasé's Compositions.
9. 0—George Hill (baritone).
9.15—Eily Murnaghan (soprano).
10.30—Time, News, Weather, and close down.

BELFAST—242.3 Metres (1,238 Kc.).
10.15-10.30—The Daily Service.
1. 0-2.0—Lunch Time Music.
2.25-3.25—Daventry National Programme.
3.30—An Orchestral Concert.
5. 0—Musical Interlude.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
5.55—Agricultural Market Prices for North Ireland.
6. 0—Daventry National Programme.
10.20—Regional News.
10.25-11.0—Daventry National Programme.

NORTH REGIONAL—479.2 Metres (6 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30-11.0—Daventry National Programme.
12. 0—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
1.15—An Organ Recital by G. D. Cunningha
2.15-3.0—The Midland Studio Orchestra.
3.30—Daventry National Programme.
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—First General News.
6.30—The Northern Studio Orchestra.
8. 0—Miss Phyllis Bentley: The Brontë No —Introduction.
8.20—Laddie Clarke's Imperial Hydro Ho Orchestra.
9.15—The Nit-Wits, in "Africa Shrieks."
10. 0—"Songs from the Little Shows."
10.15—Second General News.
10.35—Dance Music.
10.40-12.0—Daventry National Programme.

NATIONAL—1,554.4 Metres (193 Kc.).
10.15—The Daily Service.
10.30—Time; Shipping Forecast.
10.45-11.0—"Keeping Fit in Winter."—I.
12. 0—Quentin Maclean (organ).
12.45—Gramaphone Records.
1.30-2.15—Bradford Mid-day Society Concert.
2.25—For the Schools.
3.30—The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra.
4.45—Reginald New (organ).
5.15—The Children's Hour.
6. 0—"The First News"
6.30—The Foundations of Music.
6.50-7.20—"The Theatre"—Mr. James Agate.
7.30—"Science and Civilisation."—V.
8.15—B.B.C. Symphony Concert—XIII.
9. 5—The Second News.
9.20—Symphony Concert. Part II.
10.20—Shipping Forecast; New York St Market Report.
10.25—Talk.
10.40-12.0—Dance Music.

RAISING FUNDS FOR THE N.S.P.C.C.

"PANCAKE" DANCE IN DUBLIN.

The annual "pancake" dance (of whi Lady Sophie Grattan Bellew is President) support of the funds of the National Soci for the Prevention of Cruelty to Childr will be held in the Aberdeen Hall, Gresha Hotel, Dublin, on Shrove Tuesday, Febru 9th.

The novel feature of distributing fr coupons with prize-winning numbers amo those present should prove a great attracti Many prizes have been presented by t Dublin citizens and the Committee for t special purpose.

During the past year cases involving t welfare of 2,254 children came under t notice of the Society, and the childre through the help of the inspectors, we saved from much hardship and suffering child should have to endure.

The object will have a special appe Early booking of tables is desirable. T pancake dance is generally regarded as o of the most popular of the season.

DUBLIN HARBOUR NOTES.

CHILDREN OF THE OPEN SPACES.

UP-TO-DATE NORWAY.

FROM OUR HARBOUR CORRESPONDENT.

Last week more schooners congregated in the River Liffey than have been seen there together for a considerable period. Their masts and yards traced a fresco of romance against drifting clouds and an azure blue sky—a picture in miniature, as it were, of the days gone by, when the masts of lofty square-riggers towered high above the freight-sheds and the funnels of steamers. Their discharging or loading completed, several of them sailed for Kingstown Harbour to await the favourable "slant" which would enable them to reach their destinations.

Monday proved to be one of those fine, almost summer-like, days occasionally given to us by an Irish winter, and the Mary B. Mitchell and Tarragonna, both square-topsail schooners, together with the fore-and-afters Rottersten and Venture, decided to go to sea. They stole silently out of Kingstown Harbour, aided by a light air, in the early hours. They seemed, as it were, children of nature, who were shy of their civilised surroundings and were anxious to depart to the mighty spaces of sea and sky to which they belonged.

TRANS-ATLANTIC SCHOONERS.

The schooners Gaelic and Cymric, which are practically sister ships of about 140 tons register, also made their appearance in the Liffey, and lay alongside one another at Britain Quay. The Gaelic is unique, insomuch that, although built of iron, she is decorated with a figurehead consisting of a woman holding a flower in her hand. The vessel was used as a decoy ship during the war, and had several fierce encounters with German submarines.

"I suppose," remarked an English visitor, who accompanied our Correspondent, "that these little craft are the equivalent of our barges on the Thames?" He was surprised to learn that both ships had run, many times, across the Atlantic from Newfoundland and other ports, chiefly with timber. As a matter of fact, the schooner prefers the big, long swell of the Atlantic to the short, high seas encountered in the Irish Sea and English Channel. The Atlantic swell gives the vessel more time to rise, and, in consequence, less water comes tumbling on board.

GOOD ACCOMMODATION.

Norway, once again, easily won the distinction of having the most efficient and up-to-date ship among the visitors which called at the Liffey last week. She is the m.v. Talleyrand, 4,038 tons register, of Tonsberg, and came from Australia, *via* Continen ports, with a cargo of wheat, 2,000 odd t of which were consigned to Dublin. O Correspondent, having employed successfu the "blind eye of Nelson" method in or to navigate himself past the "No admittanc notice hanging upon the accommodat ladder, was informed that the captain was shore, but that the chief officer might found in his room. A knock at a do labelled "1st Strymand," led to the discove of that worthy mariner, writing up his lo

Enter the cabin of an officer in an aver pre-war built British cargo vessel, and finds a sort of cell, about eight feet by six, which the light from the small porthole h to be assisted by that of an oil lamp. W apologies that "the dynamo is not r during the day-time," the owner aband his solitary chair to his visitor and, sho he have one, sits on a small settee. The vi to the cabin of the chief officer of Talleyrand disclosed accommodation wort of a place in the first-class of a trans-Atlan liner. It was an airy room, the furniture which included two arm chairs, a pile car and a desk, fitted with a reading lamp. T two large portholes gave ample light, ap from the electric light shining cosily benea the artistic shades.

AN EFFICIENT COMPASS.

"Possibly, the most interesting thing have on board," said the chief officer, " the gyroscopic compass. If you come alo to the bridge I will show it to yo The pressing down of an electric switch the chart room was sufficient to start t gyroscope, although, our Correspondent w informed, it must run for four hours befo the compass is ready for use. At the e of that time it is impossible for the dir tion of the compass to be altered even pressure with the hand. When one c siders that the magnetic compass can effected by a piece of iron, eleven feet d tant, the advantages of the gyrosco method can be appreciated even by the l man.

The Talleyrand is fitted with twin p pellers, and can attain a speed of sixt knots. On her homeward-bound passage averaged fourteen knots, taking forty-t days to come to Dublin from Fremant Like the Norwegian motor ship, Nyho which visited the Liffey two weeks ago, has accommodation for twelve passeng The decks used by the passengers sheltered by light wooden awnings, cove with canvas, which greatly enhance neat appearance of the ship. Her cr number thirty-eight hands, all told.

There was a considerable increase in tonnage which entered the Liffey last we compared to the previous fortnight. O large visitors included the Norwegian M/ Sandejord, with oil; the West Celeron, Portland, Oregon, with general cargo, fr the States, and the Torr Head, of Belfa with a consignment of wheat from Montr

The Tallyrand, an up-to-date Norwegian motor vessel, discharging her cargo o wheat at the Alexandra Basin, Dublin.

"Robbing Road Fund."

Portadown Council's Protest.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

PORTADOWN, Tuesday.

WHEN the Northern Government's circular letter in regard to the curtailment of grants from the Road Fund was read at the meeting of the Portadown Town Council last night, Mr. S. S. Corbett said that the statement was made in the letter that the reserves were completely exhausted. Motor vehicles were taxed for the upkeep of the roads, and that Council should protest very strongly against the action of the Government in robbing the Road Fund.

"If any industrial concern in the world," he said, "treated moneys received for definite purposes as the Government had treated this money they would be hounded out of existence.

"We are told that the Government wanted the money, that this money was handy and they laid their hands on it, but I hold that it is a breach of faith with the people who pay the motor tax; and, while I do not want to say one hard word against the Government, I hold that if money given for a specific purpose is to be taken in this way and used for some other purpose we do not know where we are.

"For some time this Council has had the idea of reconstructing the roads, when the main drainage is completed. By the curtailment of the grants this scheme is impossible, because, unless this town gets the grants enjoyed by other municipal authorities in Northern Ireland to concrete their streets we cannot possibly hope to do it for many years to come."

Mr. Corbett moved the adoption of a resolution emphatically protesting against the robbing of the Road Fund by the Northern Government.

Mr. S. McGredy seconded.

Mr. Robert Anderson, J.P., said that he would not object to hold up the Government to the contempt they felt for them because of the robbery and confiscation they had committed. A short time ago, he said, they took £120,000 from the Road Fund to square the Budget; a few years ago they used half a million of Road Fund money to build a bridge in Derry. The people were being squeezed to death by all these curtailments.

Mr. George Johnston said that the Government was placing an intolerable burden on the ratepayers.

Mr. G. A. Locke said that the Government had no right to use the Road Fund money for other purposes.

Mr. Corbett's motion was passed unanimously.

Woman Shot Dead On Doorstep.

Brothers-In-Law Accused.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

AT a Special Court which was held in Castlewellan to-day, Henry Lavery and John Tierney, brothers-in-law, of Meadow lane, Annsboro', were charged on remand in connection with the murder of Mary Morgan (77), who was shot on the doorstep of her house at Ballylough, County Down.

Mr. H. H. Mussen, Crown Solicitor, said that the Crown connected the prisoners with the crime through a statement made by Tierney previous to the murder to a witness who would be called. This statement was to the effect that Lavery and Tierney had raided the deceased woman's house, and it was "a wash-out, but they would give it a run again." Mr. Mussen said that robbery was the motive for the crime.

Dealing with the actual murder, Mr. Mussen said that about 6.20 on the evening of the crime Mary Morgan, the deceased woman; Frank O'Hare, and a boy named McCann, were sitting at the fire in the kitchen of her house. She went to the door, and as she opened it a shot rang out, and she fell, mortally wounded. O'Hare noticed a masked man with a smoking gun in his hand looking in at the door.

Police investigations resulted in the finding of a beret, in which two holes, presumably eye-holes, had been cut, and an old jacket, near the scene of the crime. The beret, Mr. Mussen said, would be identified as one left in the house in Castlewellan where Lavery resided at the time. The jacket would be identified as being similar to one lent to Tierney's wife. Evidence would be given of the finding of the buillet which killed the woman. It was a bullet fired from a revolver similar to that which several witnesses would prove they saw with Lavery in November, but which was now missing.

Francis O'Hare then gave evidence.

Hugh Morgan, Meadow Row, Annsboro', gave evidence that on November 13 he was in Castlewellan, where he saw Lavery, Tierney, and Miles Drake coming out of a public-house. Lavery asked him to have a drink, and they all went into Lynch's public-house. While there witness went into the kitchen with Tierney, who said that times were getting bad and he was going to pull a few jobs. He (Tierney) also said that on the previous Friday night he and Lavery had been out on the Ballylough road, and he put a stone through Frank O'Hare's window and put the light out. Someone came on the scene, and it was a wash-out. "Perhaps," he said to witness, "we will give it a run some other time."

"He asked me," continued witness, "if I would take any part in it, and I said 'no.'" Drake and witness then went home together.

The accused men were remanded in custody till Monday.

Appointment.—There were seventeen applicants for appointment as architect of the Vocational Education Schools to be built by County Wexford Committee at Gorey, and Messrs. Robinson and O'Keefe, F.R.I.A.I., Dublin, were unanimously appointed.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF.

Price of Pigs.—At Callan (County Kilkenny) pig market 52s. per cwt. was the top price paid for fat pigs, a decrease of 1s. The price of pigs at Clara, King's County, was 56s. per cwt., live-weight.

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Bicycle Thief Sentenced.—At Ballivor District Court, Patrick Crowe, Knightstown, Wilkinstown, who pleaded guilty to the larceny of a bicycle, the property of John Sweeney, Dangan, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour.

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Bantry Teachers.—The following officers were elected for the coming year by Bantry Branch of the Irish National Teachers' Organisation:—Chairman, Mr. S. O'Sullivan; vice-chairman, Mr. C. O'Driscoll, Glengarriff; organising secretary, Mr. T. O'Sullivan, Bantry; financial secretary, Miss B. Keohane, Kealkil.

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The Gaelic League.—At a meeting of the County Committee of the Gaelic League which was held at Tullamore, Dr. P. J. O'Grogan presiding, it was decided that the county Feis be held this year in Tullamore. A deputation was appointed to wait on the County Vocational Committee to urge the necessity for encouraging the teaching of Irish in the schools controlled by that body.

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Cottage Rents.—At the meeting of the Louth Board of Health which was held in Dundalk it was decided that tenants of labourers' cottages, whose rents had been increased from 1s. to 2s. per week, should be notified at once that the increased rents must be paid forthwith. The chairman (Mr. McGahon) said that they found that they suffered a serious loss, amounting to almost 3d. in the £ on the rates in the labourers' cottages. The rents were only increased in the case of people who were not agricultural labourers.

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Rate Collector's Lapse.—John Kirwin, rate collector, Bonmahon, who pleaded guilty to embezzling £170 rates collected for the Waterford County Council, came up for sentence at Waterford Circuit Court yesterday. Mr. C. S. Quinlan, solicitor, for the defendant, pointed out that he was very young when appointed in the troubled times, when rates were hard to collect in the country. The Judge, in sentencing him to three months' imprisonment from the date of his arrest, said that he should never have been appointed.

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Wireless in Hospitals.—Is wireless a boon or a nuisance in hospitals? This question was discussed at the meeting of the Louth Board of Health in Dundalk. Mr. Michael Shields, Drogheda, wrote asking the approval of the Board to a proposal to instal wireless in the Drogheda Hospital. The chairman (Mr. McGahon) said that his personal opinion was that a wireless installation was not the proper thing in a hospital where people were sick and dying. Mr. Campbell said that the best part of the programme was always shortly shortly after six when the racing results were coming through. Approval was given to the proposal.

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Opening of Folk School—Reporting on the opening of the Folk School at Valentia House, Camolin, Co. Wexford, this month, Mr. Seamus Wilmot, chief executive officer, states that the number of pupils enrolled was sixty-one, of whom thirty-one were boys and thirty girls. The pupils were divided into two groups—fourteen to sixteen years and sixteen years upwards. Students under sixteen years were doing a full continuation course. Of twenty hours per week the boys got ten hours practical work. Students over sixteen years were doing a twenty-five hours' week, of which the girls were getting fifteen hours on practical subjects, such as domestic economy and poultry-keeping. The boys were receiving a similar number of hours in the study of engineering and agriculture.

Successful Appeal—Denis Madden, North Strand road, Dublin, haulage contractor, successfully appealed at Trim Circuit Court against a conviction and fine of £30 in that District Court for, as alleged, exhibiting a false road tax on a lorry.

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Tribute to Mr. Cosgrave.—By twelve votes to six Roscommon County Council at its meeting yesterday decided to present an address to President Cosgrave on the occasion of his forthcoming visit to the county.

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Marked "Read."—When the resolution of Cumann na nGaedheal protesting against the utilisation of public money in providing a British war memorial in Dublin came before Kilkenny Corporation it was marked "read" by eight votes to three.

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Railway Facilities.—Carrickmacross Urban Council has passed a resolution calling on the Great Northern Railway and the Free State Minister for Posts and Telegraphs to bring about better and more suitable facilities in connection with the morning mail and passenger services to Carrickmacross, Ballybay, Clones, Cavan, Castleblayney and Monaghan.

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Waterford Carnival.—When she opened a two-day carnival in aid of the poor relieved by the Sisters of Charity in Waterford Town Hall, the Marchioness of Waterford was presented with a bouquet of orchids, malmaisons, maiden hair ferns and heather by Miss Mary Bowe, daughter of Mr. P. Bowe, Otteran place, on behalf of the Organising Committee.

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Another Commissioner for Mayo.—Mr. P. J. Bartley, the Commissioner who is administering the affairs of Mayo County Council, is suffering from influenza. Mr. Wilfred Browne, of the Executive Staff, Free State Local Government Department, is deputising for him under sealed order, and held the quarterly meeting of the County Council yesterday.

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Returned for Trial.—At a special court which was held in Newry yesterday, Vincent Devanney, alias Grimley, alias Duffy, was returned for trial in custody to County Down Assizes, on a charge of having on January 26th broken and entered the jewellery shop of Andrew McMillan, Hill street, Newry, and stolen three clocks and other articles of jewellery valued at £3 9s. 6d., and with maliciously breaking the plate-glass window of the shop, and thereby causing £20 damage.

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Immunisation.—At the meeting of the Louth Board of Health in Dundalk a report was read from Dr. Musgrave, medical officer, stating that of the fourteen cases of diphtheria which had occurred during the past year in the Dundalk urban and rural areas, not one of the children had received immunising injections. 1,500 children had received the full course of three doses of anti-toxin and not one of these children had incurred diphtheria during the past year. Dundalk was the first town in Ireland to undertake an immunisation campaign against diphtheria. It was decided that another immunisation campaign should be carried out during next summer.

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Ulster Anti-Prohibition Council.—A meeting of the Ulster Anti-Prohibition Council was held in Belfast yesterday. Mr. Charles Lupane, vice-chairman, who presided, said that there was only one country now, the United States of America, which, having tried the experiment of prohibition, had not abandoned it. According to the evidence put before them recently by a well-known and illustrious fellow-countryman, Mr. St. John Ervine, out of the number that had tried the experiment the only prohibition country left was the most drunken country in the world. Mr. Ervine put on record: "I saw more drunken women in New York in seven months than I have seen in Great Britain in seven years, and a worse condition prevails all over the towns of the United States."

Murder Charge.

Accused Man Returned For Trial.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

IN the Belfast Custody Court to-day, George Rafferty, of Spamount street, Belfast, was returned for trial to the City Commission on the charge of having murdered his wife.

Dr. John T. Murphy, of the Mater Hospital, Belfast, said that the deceased woman, Mary Jane Rafferty, was admitted to the hospital on the morning of January 20. On examination he found her to be suffering from shock and wounds. She died on January 27. The razor produced could have caused the wounds.

To Mr. Lunn—The actual cause of death was pneumonia. This pneumonia was caused by sepsis from the wounds in the neck setting up inflammation in the lungs. The wound in the throat would not be sufficient in itself to cause death.

Margaret Rafferty, daughter of the accused man, deposed to finding her mother in the kitchen. Her mother had a cloth around her throat with blood on it. She put her lying on the sofa in the kitchen. Her father then came into the kitchen. He muttered some words which she did not hear, but which sounded like "Sorry." She asked her father would she go for the doctor, and he said "Yes."

In reply to Mr. Lunn, witness said that her father was working for himself. He was very good to her and her brothers and sisters, and very good to her mother. It would be true to say that prior to this trouble there was never any serious row, but her mother complained to her father about his drinking. Her mother went back to work after eighteen years, but her father did not agree to it. He was in the habit of giving all the money he earned into the house. She never saw her father strike her mother, or even heard him threaten to do her bodily harm in any way.

The accused man was returned for trial as stated.

Irish Teacher Appointed.—County Wexford Vocational Education Committee has appointed Mr. Sean Butler Glynn Irish teacher for Taghmon.

Echo of Missing Postman Mystery.

Solicitor's Appeal Dismissed.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WATERFORD, Tuesday.

THERE was a further echo of the Stradbally missing postman mystery in the Waterford Circuit Court to-day, before Judge Sealy. An appeal was brought by Mr. Peter O'Connor, solicitor, Waterford, against the District Court order, dismissing his application for an instalment order against Patrick McNamara, ex-inspector Civic Guards, and Thos. O'Rourke, ex-detective Civic Guards. The respondents live at Tramore, Co. Waterford.

In his original application appellant sued as assignee of Thomas Corbett, labourer, Stradbally, who obtained judgment in the High Court against respondents and two other members of the Civic Guards force.

Mr. Connolly, for appellant, having outlined the case and described the proceedings in the Court below, made the point that two material witnesses had not appeared in the District Court proceedings. These were Mrs. McNamara, wife of ex-Inspector McNamara, and Mrs. Burke, of Carrick-on-Suir, her sister. They had repeatedly tried to serve summons on Mrs. McNamara, but service could only be effected through her husband.

Evidence was given by McNamara of the indisposition of his wife, and the judge held that she could not be subjected to cross-examination.

Mrs. Burke's husband, who appeared in Court, said that either he or his wife must remain in their shop at Carrick-on-Suir. The moment he got back his wife would be available to give evidence.

Mr. Budd (for respondents) said that this action had been brought in respect of assignment to the plaintiff, and not in respect of the original High Court judgment.

Having heard the arguments, the judge ruled that the assignee was not entitled to come in as a creditor without first obtaining leave to issue execution in respect of the original High Court judgment. Therefore, he said, the case had been disposed of, and he dismissed the appeal.

Betting Fines in Belfast.

Presbytery's Action.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Tuesday.

AT a meeting of the Presbytery of Belfast to-day—the Rev. A. F. Moody, B.A., B.D., Moderator, presiding—on the motion of the Rev. T. M. Johnstone, B.A., seconded by Mr. W. J. Price, J.P., and supported by Mr. D. Wilson, J.P., the Presbytery unanimously adopted a resolution dealing with betting resorts in the city, and "viewing with grave concern the situation now created in Belfast by the action of a number of magistrates who, when bookmakers are convicted of keeping illegal betting resorts, impose merely nominal fines, and thereby render the administration of the law virtually impossible, and bring the court into contempt."

The resolution further stated:—"The Presbytery appreciates the efforts being made by the police to stamp out these iniquitous betting resorts, and looks to the Government either to amend or to abolish a court whose administration of justice is a menace to all law and order, and is confessedly a humiliation to the resident magistrates, whom the Government appointed to protect the law from contempt, and to administer it justly in the interests of all."

The Rev. T. M. Johnstone said that, while the immediate matter for consideration was the reduction last week of the scale of fines from £5 to 5s., they had, nevertheless, to bear in mind that such was only the logical outcome of a rot that had set in on these matters during the last few years.

THE PROBLEM.

The Act of 1853 was one of the finest Acts on the Statute Book, and would prove, if worked, a blessing and a boon to the whole country, but its administration had become a scandal. The problem was not merely that of changing the *personnel* of the Bench, but also the whole policy that lay behind the Bench. The Bench had got to be told that, until new laws were enacted, they were there, whether they liked it or not, to carry out the law as they had it—the whole law and nothing but the law.

Mr. W. J. Price, J.P., said that in former resolutions the Presbytery urged the authorities to carry out the law and proceed against the illegal betting-houses. They had done that, and should be commended. But now they were up against the Bench, and if men of Christian conscience and character, who had the honour to hold His Majesty's Commission of the Peace, would attend the courts, that evil would be largely cleared out of their community inside a few months. He knew a great number of justices whose feelings were outraged by proceedings such as took place last week, and if those men would attend one day per week the city would be benefited and the atmosphere of the courts purified.

THE PRESBYTERIAN MODERATORSHIP.

DUBLIN MINISTER NOMINATED.

SELECTED BY MANY PRESBYTERIES.

THE Rev. J. J. Macaulay, B.A., Christ Church, Rathgar, has been nominated by the Dublin Presbytery and by many other Presbyteries for the Moderatorship of the Irish Presbyterian Church, the election to which takes place in June next.

Mr. Macaulay is the son of the Rev. Matthew Macaulay, minister of First Newtownards Presbyterian Church, and afterwards of Brockley Church, London.

After graduating in the Royal University, Ireland, he studied Divinity in Assembly's College, Belfast, and in Edinburgh at the University and New College. He began his ministry in First Bangor Church, County Down. From there he was called to St Mark's Church, Greenock, as colleague and successor to the Rev. Hugh Macmillan, D.D., LL.D.

THE REV. J. J. MACAULAY, B.A.
Davis.

After eleven years' ministry in Scotland he accepted an invitation from Christ Church, Rathgar, Dublin, to be their minister in 1913.

While in Scotland he was chaplain to the Clyde Division of the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, and as an honorary chaplain served with the Fleet.

During the war he received a commission as Chaplain to the Forces, and served with the Army in France. He holds the rank of Honorary Chaplain to the Forces.

THE NOMINATIONS.

The Rev. J. Lyle Donaghy, of Larne, who polled strongly in February last, when the Rev. J. G. Paton was chosen, had announced that he would not be a candidate.

Nominations were as follows:—

Ards—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Armagh—Rev. T. M. Johnstone, Newington.
Bailieborough—Rev. T. M. Johnstone.
Ballymena—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Banbridge—Rev. J. B. Lusk.
Belfast—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Carrickfergus No nomination.
Clogher—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Comber—Rev. A. F. Moody.
Derry—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Donegal—Rev. Jackson M'Fadden.
Down—Right Rev. J. G. Paton.
Dromore—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Dublin—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Dungannon—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Letterkenny—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Limavady—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Magherafelt—Rev. W. B. M'Murray.
Monaghan—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Newry—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Omagh—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Raphoe—Rev. Jackson M'Fadden.
Rathfriland—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Route—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.
Strabane—Rev. Jackson M'Fadden.
Templepatrick—Rev. W. M. Kennedy, Derry.
Tyrone—Rev. J. J. Macaulay.

PRESBYTERY OF DUBLIN.

The Presbytery of Dublin met last night in the Church House, St. Stephen's Green, some forty ministers and elders being present. The deaths of Mr. Walter Boyd, elder in Bray, and Mr. James Cunningham, elder in Abbey Church, having been reported, the Presbytery by a standing vote expressed their sorrow and sense of loss, the Moderator being instructed to convey same to the relatives.

The nomination of the Rev. J. J. Macaulay, B.A., for the Moderatorship of the General Assembly, was moved by the Very Rev. Dr. Morrow, seconded by the Rev. Alex. Hall, and unanimously adopted.

The nomination of the Rev. T. A. McElpatrick, B.A., minister of Sligo, for the Moderatorship of the Synod of Dublin, was moved by the Rev. William Elliott, M.A., seconded by the Rev. J. S. Crockett, M.A., and unanimously passed.

A small committee, consisting of the Rev. J. S. Crockett, M.A. (Clerk), and Messrs. W. Petrie and E. Bain, was appointed to arrange for the publication of the Presbytery Year-book.

The Rev. John McIlroy, formerly a minister in Northern Ireland, and for several years a minister in the Presbytery of Sydney, Australia, was appointed to supply Ennis.

The Committee on Students for the Ministry reported that it had examined Mr. Finlay I. Stewart on the course for the third year and Mr. Allan Rodger Macpherson on the course for the first year, and had sustained both examinations.

The financial success of last year's Midleton (Co. Cork) Show, which the Committee attributed to advertising in the newspapers, has prompted the Society to set up a special committee this year to deal with Press advertising, and an extensive campaign in this respect is to be launched. The show takes place on June 1st.

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Mrs. S. McDANIEL, Seacourt Lodge, Princetown road, Bangor.
Mrs. E. WILLIAMS, 14 Ormond road, Dublin.
Mrs. J. MORGAN, The Square, Kilkeel.
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DAIL ELECTIONS, 1932.

LEIX-OFFALY CONSTITUENCY.

TAKE NOTICE that I, TIMOTHY O'ROURKE, of 1 Dublin road, Portlaoighise, have this day been appointed Election Agent on behalf of WILLIAM DAVIN and JOHN F. GILL, Candidates at the above Election.
Dated this 3rd day of February, 1932.
TIMOTHY O'ROURKE.

ELECTION AGENT'S NOTICE OF HIS APPOINTMENT.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION, 1932.

CONSTITUENCY OF LEIX-OFFALY.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TAKE NOTICE that TIMOTHY O'ROURKE, of 1 Dublin road, Portlaoighise, having been appointed Election Agent for WILLIAM DAVIN and JOHN F. GILL, Candidates at the above Election, hereby gives notice that, in view of the provisions of the Prevention of Electoral Abuses Act, 1923, the said Candidates will not be answerable or accountable for any payment for goods supplied, services rendered, or expenses incurred by any person acting, or claiming to act on their behalf, unless such purchase, service or expense has been previously authorised in writing under my hand, or is incurred by a duly appointed Sub-Agent acting within the limits of his authority.
Dated this 3rd day of February, 1932.
TIMOTHY O'ROURKE, Election Agent for WILLIAM DAVIN, JOHN F. GILL.

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The Electricity Supply Board invite applications for the position of Senior Assistant Hydrometric Engineer in the Civil Engineering Department. Essential Qualifications: University Civil Engineering Degree or equivalent. Maximum age 30 years on the 1st January, 1932. Salary £300 per annum by £20 per year to £500. The point at which the successful applicant will enter this scale will be determined by the Board.

Applications, enclosing original Testimonials, should be made in writing to the undersigned from whom full particulars may be obtained. Latest date for receiving applications 17th February, 1932.

(Signed) PATRICK J. DEMPSEY,
Secretary Electricity Supply Board, 60-62 Upper Mount street, Dublin.
Date: 1st February, 1932

COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE BHAILE ATHA CLIATH
(COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL).

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS, 1932.

The County Dublin County Council offer for competition THREE SCHOLARSHIPS of £60 each, tenable for three years at University College, Dublin, open only to Students whose parents or guardians have resided in the County of Dublin (excluding the portions transferred to the City of Dublin by the Local Government (Dublin) Act, 1930) for at least five years immediately preceding the 1st July, 1932.

Forms of Application and all particulars may be had from the undersigned.

LAST DATE FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS, 23rd APRIL, 1932.

(Signed), PATRICK J. MURPHY,
County Secretary.
County Secretary's Office, 11 Parnell square, Dublin.
This 3rd day of February, 1932.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAYS COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED on and after the 12th day of FEBRUARY until the 3rd day of MARCH, 1932, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board
H. S. COE, Secretary.
Kingsbridge Station, Dublin, W.6,
3rd February, 1932

RAILWAYS PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

A Circular has been prepared for the use of Shareholders who wish to support the Railways Protection Association by getting the views and assistance of the several Parliamentary Candidates in their areas. This may be had on application to
THE SECRETARY, Railways Protection Association, 39/41 Dame street, Dublin.

I, FRANCIS SLATER, of HANOVER, CARLOW, hereby give Notice of my intention to apply for Certificate of Suitability for Betting for Premises situate at
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES

TO BE SOLD.

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The Irish Land Commission invite Tenders for the purchase of Bloomfield House, with Gate Lodge, Out-offices and adjoining Lands, containing 128a, 2r, 12p., or thereabouts, Statute measure, including an area of bog for the supply of turf, together with the sporting rights thereon.

The House, a three-storied building, with basement, faces south, and stands on an eminence 2/3rds of a mile from the public road, about 8½ miles from Claremorris, and 5 miles from Ballinrobe. A six acre orchard and two spacious yards are in the immediate vicinity.

The basement comprises large kitchen, scullery (hot and cold water), workshop, pantry, wine cellar, storerooms and servants' rooms, all of which, save two, are flagged.

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The yards attached contain stabling for 17 horses and 82 cattle, 6 sheds, including 3 machine rooms and large store, garage, harness room, carthouse, tool and boiler houses, laundry, yardman's and steward's dwellinghouses, also a hen house, slaughter house, and 8 pig houses.

The Premises, which are insured against fire up to 4th October, 1986, are in reasonable repair, and water for domestic and drinking purposes is available near the residence. A horse pump connects a well in the yard with a yard tank and a tank of 2,000 gallons capacity on the roof.

The Land Commission will be prepared to make an advance not exceeding £900 for the purchase of the fee-simple of the premises, pursuant to the provisions of the Land Act, 1923, repayable by an annuity in the manner provided by the said Act, the balance of the purchase money to be paid in cash.

Conditions of Sale and Forms of Tender may be obtained on application to the offices of the Irish Land Commission, 24 Upper Merrion street Dublin, where a map of the lands can be inspected.

Tenders on the prescribed form should be addressed to the Secretary, Irish Land Commission, and should reach the above address not later than 12 o'clock noon on the 27th day of February, 1932.

The Land Commission will not be bound to accept the highest or any tender.
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PREPARATORY COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, 1932
NOTICE TO INTENDING CANDIDATES.

The period for receiving applications for the forthcoming Examination has been extended to Monday, 8th February. No applications received after that date can be considered.—SEOSAMH O'NEILL, Runai, Feabhra, 1932. 5/C.457. W.H.Co.

The Irish Times

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1932.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

President Cosgrave left Limerick yesterday and drove to Galway, where he was welcomed by large crowds.—(Page 7.)

The Ven. William Hardy Holmes, LL.D., was consecrated Bishop of Tuam in Armagh Cathedral yesterday.—(Page 6.)

A Dublin minister, the Rev. J. J. Macauley, has been nominated as Moderator of the Irish Presbyterian Church.—(Page 3.)

The hearing of the charges of seditious libel against the *Irish Press* and its editor was continued yesterday before the Military Tribunal in Dublin, and the case was adjourned until this morning.—(Page 8.)

A protest was voiced by a meeting of border workers at Belleek yesterday regarding the operation of the Unemployment Insurance Acts in the case of persons living on one side of the border and working on the other.—(Page 7.)

The alternative proposal to the five per cent. "cut" in the pay of all ranks of the Civic Guard takes the form of a five per cent. increase in the contribution payable towards pension.—(Page 8.)

In the Belfast Custody Court yesterday George Rafferty, of Spamount street, was returned for trial on the charge of having murdered his wife.—(Page 5.)

At a meeting of the Presbytery of Belfast a resolution was passed unanimously dealing with betting fines.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

A representative exhibit of Irish Free State produce will be staged in the Olympia section of the British Industries Fair, which opens on February 22nd.—(Page 4.)

The Disarmament Conference opened at Geneva yesterday afternoon, and was addressed by the President, Mr. Arthur Henderson, Britain's ex-Foreign Minister.—(Page 7.)

The House of Commons yesterday gave a second reading to the Town and Country Planning Bill.—(Page 3.)

ABROAD.

Britain initiated a peace move in the Far East yesterday, which was reinforced by the United States, France and Italy, and backed up by the League of Nations. Despite this the Japanese made another determined onslaught on Chapei.—(Page 7.)

The Commonwealth Government is to pay direct to bondholders of New South Wales the interest in which default has been made, and will take all measures in its power to compel New South Wales to honour its obligations.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Leicester yesterday Grakle won the Spring Handicap Steeplechase.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were generally firmer, with Oils a strong spot.—(Page 3.)

Loan and discount rates were unchanged. £430,000 gold in the market was all taken for abroad.—(Page 3.)

In Dublin the market was fairly steady. Guinness units were easier. Great Southern issues hardened.—(Page 3.)

Is It Peace?

Yesterday may be remembered as an outstanding date in history; for it was marked by two momentous beginnings. The Conference for the Limitation and Reduction of Armaments was opened at Geneva, and the Imperial Parliament assembled for the re-shaping of Britain's economic policy. On first view, the coincidence seems to be of bad omen. The idea of disarmament is unity, confidence and co-operation among the peoples of the earth; but the immediate effect of Great Britain's conversion to tariffs must be an intensified war of trade. The concepts of disarmament and tariffs are opposite, and, if Britain's new policy really meant tariffs for the sake of tariffs, the world's outlook would be almost desperate. Fortunately, we know that the Chancellor of the Exchequer's proposals to-morrow will have two aims—to meet Britain's instant necessities, and to be a *reductio ad absurdum* of the economic follies which are killing trade in all the continents. As a permanent source of British wealth and power, the new tariffs must be a broken reed; as a means towards the ending of all tariffs and the restoration of international sanity, they may become the world's salvation. It is certain, at least, that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals must make the continued payment of war debts and reparations definitely impossible. During the present week the House of Commons will vote not only for a ten *per cent.* revenue tariff, but for that general discharge of burdens which contains the world's chief hope of survival.

We record a further coincidence, and it is a devastating irony. At the moment when Mr. Arthur Henderson took the chair at Geneva Japanese troops were encircling Shanghai and Japanese warships were bombarding Nanking. Nevertheless, Japan is a member of the League of Nations and sits on one of the three committees which the Disarmament Conference appointed yesterday. The contradiction gives a touch of the ridiculous to the pomp of yesterday's proceedings at Geneva. "This is an historic hour," said Mr. Henderson, and he added that the representatives of sixty nations now present at Geneva are the chosen spokesmen of seventeen hundred million people. "Never before has there been so powerful or so impressive a list of Ministers of State as are included in our delegations." The Conference has three objects—to secure a substantial reduction and limitation of all national armaments; to ensure general allegiance to the disarmament treaty, and to smooth the path towards the ultimate goal of total disarmament. These are lofty projects, but to-day Japan answers them with the drumming gun that has no doubts. The truth is that, while statesmen honour peace with their tongues, they continue steadfastly to prepare for war. The League of Nations continues to be ineffective because its individual members continue to be conscious of their lack of faith in it. If Japan had not realised this fact, she would not have dared her present adventure in China. Her action is not merely an exposure of her own ambition; it is a moral indictment of the League of Nations.

Mr. J. H. Thomas told the League Council yesterday that the Governments of Great Britain and the United States had addressed a stern protest to the Japanese and Chinese Governments. They demand that all acts of violence shall cease, that Japanese and Chinese troops shall be withdrawn from the Shanghai area, and that negotiations for a settlement shall begin without delay. If these demands are conceded, the danger may pass; but, if Japan ignores them, a situation of the gravest kind will be created. Then humanity will turn with impatience and anger to the Disarmament Conference. What will this self-styled Atlas do—this representative of seventeen hundred million people—when it is required suddenly and in grimmest truth to take the world on its shoulders? In a sense, we shall be glad if the test comes in this fashion; for then mankind will be able to survey the prospect with clear eyes. It will know at once if its hopes are vain or if at last its secular wisdom has constructed a noble instrument of peace and progress. To-day at Geneva the world has an opportunity, which may be the final opportunity, to mend its ways. Unless the Disarmament Conference is able now to furnish convincing proof of its sincerity and its courage, it must pass, along with the League of Nations, into that limbo of futile and tragic experiments which history has fed for two thousand years. The next few days may decide whether the world can save itself, or whether it will go "ruining down the illimitable inane."

The Church and Housing.

The Church of England in recent years has devoted much attention to the housing of the poor, and several successful improvement schemes have been the direct, and indirect, results of its efforts. Last Monday the spring session of the Church Assembly was opened at Westminster, under the chairmanship of the Archbishop of Canterbury, and the few modifications in outlook which could be traced were due to new conditions rather than to any waning of interest in this most urgent of all social questions. Presenting the report of the Social and Industrial Commission, the Bishop of London said that housing in London and in the country admitted of no economy. He moved a resolution that "all well-considered housing schemes for the poorest people should be continued," and this resolution was carried unanimously, with only the slightest alteration. In the meanwhile, however, some interesting views were expressed, notably by the Bishop of Durham. Dr. Henson stressed the need to realise more fully the complexities which must be faced. The chief difficulty, he showed, was the more fluid nature of the population. For some time industry in England has been manifesting a tendency to move from north to south. In this regard Dr. Henson cited the example of his own diocese. He admitted that housing in Northumberland and Durham was the worst in the land, and he attributed this unhappy condition of affairs to the number of houses which had been left vacant by migrating workers. How, in such circumstances, he asked, could local authorities be expected to pledge public credit in fresh building schemes? The empty houses, of course, in no way relieve the situation, since they are empty only because they are in the wrong place, having been built in the first flush of post-war enthusiasm for people who need them no longer. Such southern drift naturally is increasing congestion in London, where, as the Bishop of Southwark stated, 100,000 people are living in unhealthy basements, in spite of all that has been done lately to afford accommodation. No doubt, if there is any revival of trade, this problem of a floating population will stabilise itself to some extent. Lieutenant-Colonel Fremantle, M.P., pleaded for more voluntary help, and criticised State subsidies, which, as he claimed, frequently failed to achieve results commensurate with the expenditure. There is some reason in his argument, and undoubtedly it is true that the greatest improvement has been noticed in those boroughs where the authorities have followed in the wake of the public utility companies. Here the Church's inspiration will be invaluable.

Farmers in France.

One reason for the consistent prosperity of France is suggested by a correspondent of *The Times*. He points out that very notable attention is being paid there to the mechanising of farms, and that the most modern forms of machinery are employed. During this year, for the eleventh year in succession, interest has been sufficiently vigorous to permit the holding of a show devoted entirely to agricultural machinery, without any other attraction in the shape of live-stock. In other words, says the correspondent, the "machine," as much as the "animal," is regarded as vital to the future of French farming. At the latest exhibition M. Achille Fould, the Minister of Agriculture, stressed the importance of machinery adapted for use not only on large, but on small, farms. The modern French farmer has been quick to recognise the value of the machine; he knows that it will save labour and will increase his output; and its use—though many farmers continue to linger in the tradition of their fathers—is increasing steadily. The correspondent gives some interesting details of the forms of machinery that are coming into popular use. Small, automatic pumps, operated electrically, are employed to provide water; tractors, with creeper tracks, rubber-filled joints and Diesel engines, have met favour; reversible ploughs are ousting the older forms; the combined harvester-thresher is well established; the open type of milk-cooler and the tank type of pasteuriser are disappearing before enclosed tubular apparatus, which can be cleaned with greater ease. A factor that contributes to the mechanical tendency is provided by the spread of electrical power, which is now available in more than three-quarters of the French parishes.

A Border Nuisance.

A meeting held yesterday in Belleek calls attention to another ridiculous situation created by the Free State and Northern Irish border. Workmen who reside in the Free State and are employed immediately across the border must stamp Northern Irish insurance cards. Yet, because they are not resident in Northern Ireland, they may not draw benefit. A precisely similar difficulty confronts residents of Northern Ireland who work in the Free State. They must pay unemployment insurance premiums to the Free State authorities, but may not receive benefit on account of their "alien" residence. We condole with the victims of this anomaly, and trust that they may obtain their rights. A reciprocal system of unemployment insurance between the two States would save a great deal of trouble and, in the workers' case, of anxiety. Can such a system not be arranged; and can its arrangement not be followed by an adjustment of the various nuisances that plague travellers at the border? The border is a bad thing in itself, but, while it endures, the two States ought to be content to accept it as a technicality, rather than to preserve it as a source of endless irritation. From the material point of view, we do not believe that the Free State gains any more than she loses by the various border "regulations"; and the same conviction applies to Northern Ireland. Neither State would suffer by their removal or adjustment, and the gain in mutual esteem would be substantial. The present spectacle of two divisions of one country, holding each other at arms' length, would be merely comical if it did not cause grave concern to thoughtful Irishmen.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Prince of Wales received the Spanish Ambassador, Senor Don Ramon Perez de Ayala, yesterday morning.

The Duke of York will be present at midnight to-morrow at the Empire Theatre, when a "Starlight Show" will be given in aid of the Women's League of Service

The Duke and Duchess of Abercorn have arrived in London from Northern Ireland. Mildred Countess of Gosford will arrive in London to-day from Paris.

The Earl of Caledon, Viscountess Lymington and Lord and Lady Annaly are among the arrivals at Brighton. Lord and Lady Carson will remain in London for the next three weeks. Viscount and Viscountess Bridgeman have arrived in London, where they will remain until Easter.

The Earl and Countess of Derby will leave London to-morrow, *en route* for Madras, to attend the marriage of their niece, Miss Barbara Stanley, only child of Sir George and Lady Beatrix Stanley, to Captain Sir Charles Buchanan.

Viscount and Viscountess Brentford will return to London early next month from the West Indies. Lord and Lady Hamilton of Dalzell have left for Rangoon. Sir Eric Geddes will arrive in England to-day from the Far East.

Sir John Keane is expected to arrive in London on Friday from Ireland. The Hon. Lady Gatacre has left for Marseilles, and will be away about two weeks. Sir Seymour King will arrive in London on Friday from Madeira.

Sir Frank and Lady Sanderson, who are passengers on board the Carnarvon Castle from South Africa, are due to arrive in London on February 15th. Sir Amos and Lady Nelson will sail from Liverpool on Saturday in the Laurentic for a cruise to the Mediterranean.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place in April, of William John, eldest son of the late James Toal and of Mrs. Toal, Victoria avenue, Donnybrook, to Elizabeth Gertrude (Betty), youngest daughter of the late Valentine and Mrs. Dunn, Marlborough road, Donnybrook.

Doctor Michael J. Mullen has taken up residence at 13 Parnell square.

Doctor Ninian Falkiner has changed his consulting rooms from 42 Lower Baggot street to 60 Fitzwilliam square. Telephone: Dublin 62131.

Dr. Kevin Malley has moved to 57 Merrion square.

Kindersley—On 31st January, 1932, at 7 Portland Place, London, to Mrs. Philip Kindersley, a daughter.

CAPTAIN C. H. STEWART AND MISS VERSCHOYLE.

The marriage took place quietly, on January 28th, at Christ Church, Lancaster Gate, of Captain Charles Harvey Stewart, Indian Army (retired), eldest son of the Archdeacon of Dublin and the late Mrs. Stewart, and Miss Gwenda Verschoyle, eldest daughter of Captain F. T. Verschoyle and the late Mrs. Verschoyle, of De Vesci House, Kingstown, Co. Dublin. The Archdeacon of Dublin (father of the bridegroom) officiated, assisted by the Rev. R. W. de la Poer Beresford-Peirse.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Captain Stuart Verschoyle, late Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, wore a dress of sapphire-blue satin, with a hat to match, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Anita Sharp Bolster was the only bridesmaid, and she wore a dress of rust-red satin, with black furs. A reception was held afterwards at 21 Gloucester terrace, and later the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon, which is being spent in the country.

Switzers Ladies' Hairdressing Salons offer a service of the very highest order at standard charges. Eleanor Adair's famous Beauty Preparations and skilled Beauty Treatments can also be had in this Department.

Holmes' new show of Millinery, Gowns, Coats, Sports Jumpers, Suits and Children's Garments.

Rosemary has returned to 113 Grafton street from London. A further selection of exclusive models.

Chancellor's Celebrated Watches. — 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

New Goods showing at Slyne's, 71 Grafton street, 1 and 2 Harry street.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Among the arrivals were:—H. A. Leon, Capt. R. B. Donovan, Taylor Yard, B. L. Rogers, Miss Moor, F. S. Gardiner, Miss H. F. Sweney, M. E. Bucklow, Miss E. Wellesley Reilly, F. J. Keane, Capt. and Mrs. Hubert, H. L. Wallace, T. M. Murphy, Miss Ladden, Miss H. Marsh, Major Wolfe, R. C. Grey, Thomas Power, G. O. Green, B. H. Merlin, Miss Franklin, Mrs. J. B. Madden, Miss Madden, T. Floyd, Mrs. W. R. Murphy, J. Boyle, Mrs. T. W. Boyle, W. Sympkin, Mrs. Hervy, Miss Hone, Mrs. Steward, Miss Anderson, Miss Fallon, Miss Scanlon, and H. Hamlin.

Among the departures were:—Rev. C. Moriarty, Rev. J. E. Dodds, Miss Mumford, Miss A. F. O'Reilly, Miss M. Keane, Miss M. A. Kelly, Rev. R. and Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. William Frewen, J. G. Moynihan, W. Cromp, Miss L. Cromp, J. C. Kerins, Senator L. O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moore, Master T. Gannon, Dr. M. Maloney, T. Muriel, Miss Braddon, R. J. Hynes, Thomas M. Cherlon, T. M. Murphy, Madame Dorfman, Lily Huet, Thomas Johnstone, M. J. Johnstone, Mrs. White, Miss McGrath, R. B. Bomford, Capt. J. B. Hunt, Miss Parnell, M. W. Hulme, S. Sandow, J. Myers, Mrs. H. H. Hawes and Miss M. E. T. James.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Among the arrivals were:—A. Craigie, Major Bridge, T. Scott, Mrs. Bridge, T. Taroni, J. Carey, Mrs. Keating, Evans Besbit, J. W. Richards, T. Walker, H. D. Roberts, W. Owen, Miss Hetherington, Miss Armstrong, H. B. Coupe, J. Armour, J. G. Henry, J. H. Hutchinson, T. Halloway, M. L. Bellas, T. Woodward, T. Kobb, J. Birkett, R. King, R. Harris, H. Sharp, J. Cassin, J. Hiatt, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Quillinan, J. J. Canton, Mr and Mrs. Whitcroft, Miss Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Davies and Mr. and Mrs. McDonald.

Among the departures were:—F. S. Veltom, J. H. Walker, J. Harrison, V. Hamilton, L. O'Reilly, G. F. Coulter, T. Tudor Evans, W. J. Kelly, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Kelly, T. Smethurst, Miss Martin.

Fur-trimmed Models clearing half price.—Wingard, Johnson's Court, Grafton street.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A large anticyclone remains centred over Ireland. The weather will be quiet and cloudy over England and Ireland, but in Scotland occasional rain or drizzle is probable. The temperature will be rather high for the time of year.

Ireland, all Districts.—Light, variable winds, variable cloud; local mist or fog early; normal temperature or rather mild.

Irish Sea.—Light northerly or variable winds; cloudy; local coastal mist or fog; sea slight.

St. George's Channel.—Light north or north-east winds, variable cloud; visibility moderate to good; sea slight.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin. (Advt.)

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

High and Circuit Courts—The Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Circuit Criminal Court—Green street, 11 a.m
Dublin Board of Public Assistance—10.30 a.m.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital—Portrane, 11 a.m.
Terenure College Union Dinner—Shelbourne Hotel, 7.30 p.m.
St. Mary's College Union Dinner—Gresham Hotel, 7.30 p.m
Solicitors' Apprentices' Dance—Metropole.
University College, Dublin, R.F.C. Dance—Gresham Hotel.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Tempest," 2.30 p.m.; "Hamlet," 8 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Dick Whittington and his Cat."
Gate Theatre—"Hamlet."
Metropole Cinema—"East of Borneo."
Grafton Cinema—"The Eternal Feminine."
Savoy Cinema—"I Like Your Nerve."
Corinthian Cinema—"Lost Men."
Theatre Royal—"Une Nuit Excitante."
Pavilion Cinema—"The Maltese Falcon."
Capitol Cinema—"Sunshine Susie."

NEW BISHOP OF TUAM.

CONSECRATION IN ARMAGH.

SERMON BY RIGHT REV. DR. PEACOCKE.

FROM OUR REPORTER.

ARMAGH, Tuesday.

THE Venerable William Hardy Holmes, LL.D., was consecrated Bishop of Tuam, Killala, and Achonry, in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, to-day. The ceremony was performed by the Most Rev. Charles Frederick D'Arcy, Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of All-Ireland.

Morning Prayer was at 10 o'clock, and the Service of Consecration commenced at noon. There was a large congregation, which included many clergy in their robes.

During the singing of Hymn 460 the procession moved up the centre aisle in the following order:—The Choir; the Verger; the Vicars Choral; the Chapter; the Dean; the Bishop-elect; the Bishop of Kilmore, the Bishop of Clogher, the Bishop of Derry, the Bishop of Down and Connor and Dromore, the Bishop of Meath, and the Primate.

The Epistle was read by the Bishop of Down, and the Gospel by the Bishop of Meath. The other clergy officiating were the Very Rev. Dean Tichburne and the Rev. C. P. T. Nicholson, who intoned the Litany.

The certificate of appointment of the new Bishop was read by the Right Hon. Lord Justice Best, Chancellor of the Diocese. Mr A. F. B. Tunstall, Provincial Registrar, was also present.

The new Bishop was presented to the Primate by the Bishops of Clogher and Kilmore, and the act of consecration was performed by the Primate, assisted by the other Bishops.

An anthem was sung by the choir, Mr. E. M. Chaundy, M.A., Mus.Doc. (Oxon.), presiding at the organ.

THE SERMON.

SIGNIFICANCE OF A NAME.

The preacher was the Right Rev. Dr. Peacocke, Bishop of Derry. Taking as his text, "Thou shalt be called by a new name" (Isaiah lxii., 2) he said that in our common use the term "name" was only the algebraic sign, by which one person was distinguished from another, but its use in Holy Scripture went much deeper. Nature and character were implied by "name." In both Old and New Testaments they often found new names given to men to signify some big change—some fresh development. One among them came to be called that day by a new name—"bishop." Even his signature would attest the change. From the Apostles' days there had been these orders of ministers in Christ's Church—bishops, priests and deacons. That was a certain historical fact. All down those 1900 years men had been set apart as bishops, to perform certain high and holy functions.

He did not say that there could be no Church of Christ without bishops—that they were, in technical language, of the *esse* of the Church. He did not think that their necessity could be proved from Scripture—their final test. He did not think that their necessity could be proved from the history of the Church in its ancient days, and he could not believe that membership of Christ's Church on earth was so indifferent a thing that millions could live, and had lived, such truly Godly lives as had been lived in unepiscopal communions and yet be outside its bounds. But he did hold, most firmly, that episcopacy was for the well-being of the Church.

CONTINUITY SINCE ST. PATRICK.

They, as members of the Church of Ireland, might be rightly thankful that they were an episcopal Church, and, he would add, that they had the episcopal succession in unbroken continuity since St. Patrick preached in their island. That was another historic fact, and, though comment might be free, facts were sound. He might further say that he also believed that episcopacy was necessary for the *esse* the existence, of a united universal Church. He was not speaking from a technical, but from a practical standpoint. What he meant was that in no other way, as things were, could Christ's wish be fulfilled, "that they all may be one," except, to adopt the words of Oliver Cromwell, "by a settlement with somewhat of episcopal order in it."

Referring to the office of bishop, he said that it was the duty of a bishop to lay his hands on the young folk in Confirmation after the example of the Apostles, and to send them out with God's blessing to their life's campaign. It was his duty to ordain the men who were to be the future ministers in Christ's Church. On him was the awful responsibility of deciding who were fit and proper persons to serve in the sacred ministry of the Church. It was his duty, too, to share in the consecration of other bishops, who would carry on the long line which reached back to the Apostles' days.

THE BISHOP'S OFFICE.

As father in God, the bishop was head of the Church in his diocese, just as the father of a family in his home ought to be. So he ruled, but it was the rule of a father, not of a schoolmaster, still less of a sergeant-major. Order and discipline should be upheld. The Church's work should be done. The standard of the Church's work should be kept pure and high. But it was with a kindly hand and a feeling heart his rule, however firm, was exercised. It was for the good of all. The bishop cared for all, and sympathy was the keynote of his dealings. The new Bishop's heritage would be an ancient one. There were, he believed, fifty-one Bishops of Tuam, and he did not know what in number of the other dioceses. He would hold in the direct and continuous succession of the episcopate of the native Church of Ireland from the times of St. Patrick; that, again, was historic fact.

In former days—for 700 years—it was an Archbishop who presided over Tuam in their Church. But, however its mundane splendour might be lessened, however its members might be reduced in numbers, yet it was a high calling to minister as Bishop to the loyal and devoted Church of Ireland folk, scattered over the great Western area which the united dioceses covered.

Tuam had been blessed in its bishops—its only unhappiness that, since the long episcopates of Bernard and O'Sullivan, changes had occurred so often. Continuing, Dr. Peacocke said that in the sixteen years he had been on the bench he had sat with four Bishops of Tuam—Plunket, Ross, Orr, and Harden. Dr. Holmes would be the fifth. Of him, he would say no more than that he believed he came thoroughly equipped for his great work. He had been for thirteen years his Archdeacon and right-hand man. He had ministered for more than half his thirty-five years of the ministry in County Donegal, which was not unlike in character to the diocese over which he was now to preside. He would belie his entire past if he did not prove a true Father in God to the clergy and the people of Tuam, Killala and Achonry. Might God speed him in its use.

CLERGY PRESENT.

Among the clergy in the procession were:—The Archdeacon of Tuam, the Very Rev. G. R. Nixon, Provost of Tuam; the Archdeacon of Killala and Achonry, the Rev. Dr. Bryans, the Rev. H. J. Macready-Bryans, the Rev. J. H. McComb, the Rev. J. B. E. Ashton, the Archdeacon of Meath, the Dean of Clogher, the Archdeacon of Clogher, the Dean of Raphoe, the Rev. Canon Thompson, the Rev. Canon Cowell, the Rev. Canon Cullimore, the Rev. Canon Beckett, the Rev. Canon Baird, the Rev. Canon Staunton, the Rev. Canon Duncan, the Rev. N. O'Donnell, the Rev. W. Abbott, the Rev. P. Coneff, the Rev. A. Noblett, the Rev. A. E. Sixsmith, the Rev. J. E. Doyle, the Rev. R. H. Egan, the Rev. T. A. Hickson, the Rev. J. A. Davidson, the Rev. J. K. Beattie, the Rev. J. D. B. Charlton, the Rev. T. Kelly, the Rev. James Kelly, the Rev. D. Kelly, the Rev. R. Hoffman, the Rev. H. Harpur, the Rev. D. S. White, the Rev. J. Boyle, the Rev. J. Haddock, the Dean of Armagh, the Archdeacon of Armagh, the Rev. Canon Leslie, the Rev. Canon Johnson, the Rev. Canon Marks, the Rev. Canon Moeran, the Rev. Canon McEndoo, the Rev. D. G. Allman (Chaplain to the Primate), the Rev. W. E. R. Scott, and the Rev. H. R. Rogers.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	8. 9	8. 7
Sets	5.10	5.12
Lighting-up Time	6.10	6.12

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

Morning	8.53	9.49
Evening	9.24	10.18

LONDON LETTER.

A FATEFUL SESSION.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

The Speaker gave the Opposition unexpected latitude during the question hour this afternoon. Thirty-five questions on the paper had been disposed of before a long series of private notice questions was treated—such subjects as the unemployment insurance, Dartmoor, the loss of M 2, and Shanghai. Mr. Lansbury and the leaders of the Opposition tried to make party capital out of insurance, Dartmoor and Shanghai, and succeeded to a certain extent. In regard to Dartmoor the hope was expressed that the convicts had been given opportunities to place their case before the recent inquiry. Sir Herbert Samuel intimated that he had not yet received the report of the inquiry, but that he would make a statement on Monday next. Mr. Lansbury stepped over the mark at once when he questioned Sir John Simon about Shanghai. He described Japanese action as "piracy," and was immediately shouted down by the House with cries of "Shame" and "Withdraw." He refused to withdraw, and a long argument ensued. Later Mr. Lansbury tried to secure the adjournment of the House, but leave was refused by the Speaker.

In the Lobby.

The Lobby presented an animated scene this afternoon after the rather eventful question hour. Members streamed out of the House to comment on the attitude of the Opposition and its new tactics, which, in hands other than those of Mr. Lansbury, might have been much more effective. It was remarked that the voice was the voice of Lansbury, but the hand was the hand of Cripps. Members were not much inclined to discuss the tariff question, though impatience was manifested in regard to the proposals that Mr. Chamberlain would make. Many members expressed sympathy with the Prime Minister on his eye trouble; for it is generally acknowledged that he is a great worker.

French Deposits in London.

In the City it is reported that some of the French banks have expressed a desire to increase their deposits in London, but the bankers have rejected the request, gently stating that they are not interested in bidding for such deposits at present. They have no desire to see the volume of foreign short-term loans increased, having already paid the penalty of holding too much of this kind of security. The request is interesting, however, since it expresses the confidence of the French banks in British sterling, and may be regarded as an indication of the change of view that is taking place abroad on this point. The Bank of France, it is noteworthy, is maintaining its balances in London, thus providing evidence that it regards our financial soundness as assured.

New Factories.

The demand for factory sites has encouraged local authorities on both banks of the lower Thames to unite in a campaign to develop the industrial possibilities of the district. A conference, attended by representatives of local bodies, will be held at Barking next week to review plans and proposals. On both sides of the river there are great stretches of land available for industrial development, and these have been inspected by representatives of foreign firms. A special invitation has been sent to a group of United States industrialists who propose to visit this country shortly to find suitable sites for building, and it has been accepted. In this connection it may be pointed out that the land acquired by Mr. Thomas Bata, the Czechoslovakian millionaire boot manufacturer, for a factory in this country is not far from Mr. Henry Ford's new factory in Essex. The opening of these two huge factories will transform the character of a wide area. It is expected that the Ford works will be producing the new eight horse-power baby car shortly, while the Bata factory will be built without delay, and will be capable of producing 50,000 pairs of boots a day. To secure this output there will be 5,000 employés, who will be accommodated in garden homes. The workers at the factory will be encouraged to drink milk, and arrangements will be made for an adequate supply.

A Tariff Commission

During his speech on tariffs, on Thursday, the Chancellor of the Exchequer will announce that the Government is setting up a Tariff Commission of five persons. It is understood that the names of the Commissioners will be published before the close of the week, and that they will inspire confidence. The appointments will be important, since the Commissioners will sit as a court, and will receive the equivalent of judicial salaries of some thousand pounds *per annum*. A legal luminary may be invited to preside over the deliberations of the Commission. His task will be to hold a watching brief for the country in regard to tariffs, and to institute higher rates than those imposed under the Finance Act if occasion demands.

Property in China.

In consequence of the threatening situation in China it is almost impossible to place insurance against the destruction of property there in the London market. Underwriters are not prepared to accept any risks on properties outside the International Settlement. Inside the Settlement it is possible to insure for a maximum period of only one month, and the rate for fixed property there is £3 *per cent.* for one month. The normal nominal rate is 6d *per cent.* for one year. Last week a considerable amount of insurance was done at £1 *per cent.* for a month, and numerous inquiries are reported by underwriters in London. The damage caused so far by the Japanese bombardment outside the International Settlement has involved Chinese property only, and so far no big claim has been reported, though the damage is considerable.

Continental Potatoes.

Heavy shipments of potatoes from the Continent have caused an easier tendency to prevail in prices for home-grown produce. Importations from the Continent during the past week or so show a considerable variance in quality; for, whereas some of the better grades have realised nine shillings a hundredweight, the poor qualities have been sold at four shillings and sixpence a hundredweight. These prices compare with from ten to eleven shillings a hundredweight for British-grown potatoes. It is believed that any further shipments from Germany will be confined to the better varieties, which meet with a far readier sale in this country than those of poorer quality.

Books of Remembrance.

An interesting little ceremony will take place in the "Aye" Lobby of the House of Commons on Friday, when the Speaker will unveil the Books of Remembrance, which contain the names and records of service of the members and officers of the House, with the names of their sons, who lost their lives in the War. The volumes are richly illuminated and bound in vellum, and their compilation completes the work of the committee which was appointed to administer the funds collected for the Parliamentary War Memorial. The Speaker will be accompanied by several members of the Government, members of Parliament, and relatives of those who fell. In the House of Commons a row of shields is decorated with the arms of the twenty members who were killed.

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DEFIANT JAPANESE STORM CHAPEI.

SHELLS FIRED OVER SETTLEMENT: BRITONS' LUCKY ESCAPE.

Settlement Boundaries
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FIFTEEN THOUSAND CHINESE MASSING.

SUPREME effort to bring about a complete cessation of hostilities between Japan and China was initiated yesterday by Britain, and reinced by the representations of the United States, France and Italy.

Coincidentally in Nanking and Tokyo, a proposal was made for the ablishment of neutral zones and a complete cessation of warlike pre- ations, while a prompt advance is made with negotiations for the settle- t of all outstanding controversies , arrangements for the policing of the es with neutrals to be made by the Consular authorities.

NEVERTHELESS, THE JAPANESE LAUNCHED A FRESH OFFENSIVE ON THE CHINESE IN SHANGHAI YESTERDAY AFTERNOON FROM HONGKEW, THE PORTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT NORTH OF THE SOOCHOW CREEK, WHICH HAS BEEN TAKEN OVER BY THE JAPANESE, OSTENSIBLY AS THEIR SECTOR IN THE GENERAL DEFENCE SYSTEM OF THE SETTLEMENT.

In Nanking yesterday the situation, though ominous, was declared to uiet, and it was reported that all British nationals are safe.

ATTACKED FROM SETTLEMENT.

M REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.
SHANGHAI, Wednesday, 1.30 a m.

ON after two o'clock yesterday afternoon four eighteen-pounder guns, ealed behind the butts in Hongkew , began shelling the Chinese posi- to the north-west of the North Sta- in Chapei, and Japanese warships d in with their heavy guns, causing alarm in the settlement, as the lat- vere firing from the River Whangpoo the settlement.

l that the Chinese could bring into n was a solitary trench mortar, with aximum range of two thousand yards, shells from this fell perilously near sh volunteers in the settlement.

der cover of the barrage two sand marines advanced into Chapei. es, racing through the streets, ded men and material at different , and soon many of the street rs were protected with barbed-wire rades and sandbag emplacements. A of thirty-eight such emplacements counted over an area of four square , each manned by Japanese marines ailors, with rifles at the ready and on the triggers of Thompson guns.

AREFULLY PLANNED.

anese 'planes went up at one k and frightened the streams of re- s in the International Settlement a run as, for an hour, they roared the city. Foreign military observers ssed the opinion that they were en- in taking detailed photographs of Chapei area.

e Japanese artillery fire was pre- by careful planning by Japanese to meet what they claimed was a Chinese offensive, to be launched n forty-eight hours.

ndreds of Japanese marines con- ated outside the Japanese Club, in heart of Hongkew, and piled war ials and rations into lorries. They clambered on top and speeded off to ghting front, preceded by Japanese n motor cyclists.

r hundred and fifty Japanese es landed yesterday, thus bringing aval landing force up to nearly housand.

SIR FRANCIS LINDLEY, presented Britain's demands to Japan.

Japanese officer informed Reuter's pondent that the marines were rushed to reinforce the Japanese ns in Chapei and also to establish lines along the Shanghai-Woosung ny.

HINESE INTENTIONS.

ier Chinese officials had informed their determination to drive the se from Shanghai. To this end thousand Chinese troops were con- ed in and to the west of Chapei. military had no intention of g the Settlement south of Soochow but would restrict operations to apanese area north of the creek. ad received orders not to use any y larger than Stokes mortars, field guns might endanger the nent; also not to use aeroplanes for ne reason.

situation quietened down in the , and the position of the Chinese apanese forces appears to be un- l. The artillery fire has died down.

e has not yet been any official nt issued from Chinese sources in the British and American demand na and Japan to cease hostilities. tated here, however, that if the is to be implemented it must be d by swift action.

famous Oriental Library built by mmercial Press organisation in was gutted on Monday, and more 000,000 Chinese and foreign books, g priceless manuscripts and first , were destroyed.

olice estimate that 57,000 refugees tered the Settlement since the be- of the trouble, and this does not include the huge number who have removed from the northern to the southern section of the Settlement to avoid proximity to the Japanese.

DEFENCE COUNCIL PROTEST.

JAPAN'S INDEPENDENT MILITARY ACTION.

It is reported early this morning on trustworthy authority that the Defence Council of the Settlement, comprising the commanders of the various foreign troops here, handed to the Japanese late last night a protest against alleged independent military action by the Japanese within the Settlement.

The report adds that the Settlement Municipal Council has sent a communication to the Japanese authorities demanding the restoration of the functions of municipal government in the Hongkew section of the Settlement, where the Japanese military authorities, by assuming control, have superseded the Settlement authorities and dislocated the operation of all the Settlement's normal functions of government, including policing and the administration of justice.

The crew of a British armoured car yesterday saw a Chinese youth of sixteen shot dead by a Japanese marine as he stooped down while crossing the road. The reason was that the boy was picking up a stone.

Subsequently Japanese marines are reported to have been seen forcing an entrance into a Chinese house, bayonet the occupants, and drag away the bodies.

In the last hour before dawn the darkness was lit up by a new fire which has broken out in the north-west of Chapei. The cause is not known.

EXODUS FROM NANKING.

JAPANESE OCCUPATION.

NANKING, Tuesday.

Officials were surprised this morning when the Japanese naval authorities came ashore and went to the Foreign Office to protest against last night's events. The Japanese declare that Chinese troops fired on Japanese marines, after which the warships opened fire. From the tone of the protest, it was gathered that further action might follow.

This fear was justified when, at 10.45 a.m., Japanese marines and sailors landed at Tungtai Hill, slightly up-river from Hsiakuan, and occupied the hill, which overlooks the city. Chinese troops have been drafted to that area to resist any attack, and a clash appears inevitable.

MARINES LINE RIVER.

Japanese marines have landed in considerable numbers on the Hsiakuan water front, and are now facing the Chinese troops which have been posted along the entire water front. A clash appears probable here also.

An 800-yard zone between the Chinese and Japanese forces has been stablishd.

This morning the great Chung-shan highway between Nanking and Hangchow is a dark river of humanity fleeing from the Japanese. The hurrying mass of people presents an appalling sight, as terror-stricken men an dwomen fight for room, ruthlessly thrusting aside the aged and infirm and those unable to flee so quickly.

TENSE SITUATION AT HARBIN.

MOSCOW, Tuesday.

The situation at Harbin continues tense, according to reports received here from Peking by the Tass Agency. The Japanese troops, despite the resistance of the Chinese forces, are nearing Harbin.

The Japanese command has made a request to the Soviet side of the administration of the Chinese Eastern Railway to transport Japanese troops from Tsitsihar. The vice-chairman of the Railway Board has replied that the decision depends upon the Chinese side of the administration, with whose consent alone the request may be granted.

TOKYO ATTITUDE TO OVERTURES.

The Times Tokyo Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—Mr. Yoshizawa, the Minister for Foreign Affairs, states that he can accept several of the points of the Anglo-American plan at once, but others require consideration. He is conferring with Admiral Osumi, the Minister of Marine, to-night, and expects to see Mr. Inukai, the Prime Minister, later. An emergency Cabinet may be called for to-morrow.

WAR EXCEPT IN NAME.

PROPOSALS FOR A "CEASE FIRE."

LEAGUE BACKS UP THE BRITISH OVERTURES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
GENEVA, Tuesday.

AT a specially convened meeting of the League Council this afternoon the following statement was made by Mr. J. H. Thomas:—

"His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom feel it to be impossible that the present situation in the Far East should be allowed to continue. Every day brings news of some fresh incident of the utmost gravity. War in everything but name is in progress.

"To such a state of things the members of the League of Nations cannot be indifferent. If it is allowed to go on, the Covenant, the Pact of Paris, and the Nine-Power Treaty must inevitably lose the confidence of the world. It is not without significance to members of the League that the United States Government take entirely the same view of the situation.

"In all the efforts for peace put forth by the Council during the last four months we have been happy to receive the wholehearted sympathy and support of the United States.

ARMISTICE TERMS.

"Unfortunately, these efforts have been so far unsuccessful. His Majesty's Government, therefore, in concert with the Government of the United States, has decided to make further efforts to bring the present lamentable state of things to an end, and they trust that other Governments will see their way to take similar action. They have accordingly presented at Tokyo and Nanking proposals for:

1—Cessation of all acts of violence on both sides forthwith on the following terms;

2—No further mobilisation or preparation for further hostilities whatever;

3—Withdrawal of Chinese and Japanese combatants from all points of mutual contact in the Shanghai area;

4—Protection of the International Settlement by the establishment of neutral zones to divide the combatants, these zones to be policed by neutrals (the arrangements to be set up by the Consular authorities on the spot).

5—On acceptance of these conditions, prompt advances to be made in negotiations to settle all outstanding controversies between the two nations in the spirit of the Pact of Paris and the resolution of the League of Nations on December 9th, without prior demand or reservation, and with the aid of neutral observers or participants.

MR. J. H. THOMAS.

"In bringing their action in this matter to the notice of the Council, His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom are satisfied that it will receive the approval and support of their collaboration."

STRONG ACTION.

The Chairman (M. Tardieu) said that if Great Britain had wanted to add weight to the strong action she has taken in conjunction with the United States in the Far East, she could not have gone about it in a more effective manner than by the course pursued at Geneva to-day and the circumstances surrounding Mr. Thomas's dramatic announcement to the Council of the League and the world at large.

To hold up the Disarmament Conference, with its world-wide interest, even for an hour, was calculated to focus the attention of the globe on to-day's proceedings.

The British declaration produced a tremendous impression, and brought home the realisation that Britain was once again the spearhead of international action in the Far East.

Sir Eric Drummond, the Secretary-General of the League, stated that he had received news that the Commission of Inquiry in Shanghai would meet to-day, and asked the Council to sanction certain expenditure in connection with the inquiry.

M. Tardieu then reaffirmed that it was the proposal of the British Government to associate the authority of the Council with the steps taken in the Far East, after which the Council rose.

"INTERNATIONAL PIRACY."

HOUSE OF COMMONS PROTEST.

In a statement in the House of Commons the Foreign Secretary (Sir John Simon) outlined the steps that had been taken, especially with reference to the peace overtures made yesterday morning in Nanking and Tokyo. The French and Italian Governments, he said, had been asked to act similarly, and "I have received information that these Governments have acted in the sense desired." (Cheers.)

Mr. Lansbury, Leader of the Opposition, asked whether they might have a further discussion on the matter that evening. If they could not have it by agreement he would be obliged to ask the Speaker to allow the Opposition to bring the matter up as one of urgent public importance.

The Prime Minister said that it would be most inopportune to have a debate, which might do infinite harm, and could not possibly do any good. (Hear, hear.)

There were cries of "Order" and "Withdraw" when Mr. Lansbury, continuing his questions to Mr. Macdonald said: "I think the country and the world ought to recognise that up to this point the Japanese Government has been engaged in a piece of international piracy."

The Speaker—The right hon. member must remember that he is talking about a friendly Power

The Speaker said that he could not accede to the request.

Mr. Lansbury will put a further question to the Foreign Secretary to-day.

NO INSURANCE BENEFIT.

BORDER WORKERS PROTEST.

ANOMALY OF CARD STAMPING.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELLEEK, Tuesday.

A MEETING of border workers was held in Belleek Pottery to-day, Mr Timoney presiding. Sir Basil Brooke, M.P., was in attendance.

The meeting was convened to protest against the action of the Governments of Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State in depriving a number of border workers of their rights, and to decide the best course to adopt to press on both Governments the grave injustice being done to workers on both sides of the border.

Workers residing in the Free State, and employed in Belleek Pottery, and other workers in Northern Ireland, are compelled to stamp Northern Ireland insurance cards, but are afterwards refused benefit on the grounds that they reside in the Free State. A similar rule applies to workers who work in the Free State and reside in Northern Ireland, who are compelled by the Free State Government to stamp Free State cards, but are refused benefit on the ground that they live in Northern Ireland.

Sir Basil Brooke promised to bring the matter before the Northern Ireland Ministry of Labour.

Mr. Murphy (Blacklion) said that in other countries civilisation had grown up within the border, but in this country the border had divided civilisation. It had been said that the same code of laws applied in other countries as in this country, but Mr. Murphy pointed out that the same set of circumstances did not exist in other countries..

A resolution was passed on the proposition of Mr. Murphy, seconded by Mr. McCormick, manager of Belleek Pottery, protesting against the action of the Governments of Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State in depriving them of rights under the Unemployment Acts, and demanding equal treatment with other workers in the country, or, as an alternative, the return of their contributions. The resolution added that the presence of the border in a small country like Ireland should not be seized on as a pretext for perpetrating a grave injustice.

The meeting called on representatives in the Dail and the Northern Parliament to press the matter before their respective Governments.

LOST SUBMARINE M 2.

A LONG ENDURANCE DIVE.

THE First Lord of the Admiralty (Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell) made a statement on the loss of Submarine M2, in reply to a question put by Viscount Cranborne in the House of Commons yesterday.

The First Lord said—His Majesty's Submarine M2 left Portland at about 9 a.m. on Tuesday, 26th January, to carry out independent exercises in West Bay. At 11 minutes past 10 a.m. the Commanding Officer reported by wireless to H.M.S. Titania, the Submarine Depôt ship at Portland, that he was about to dive. No further signal was received, but uneasiness regarding the safety of M2 did not arise for some hours, as her Commanding Officer, before leaving Portland, had expressed his intention of carrying out a long endurance dive, for the purpose of training the crew.

THE SEARCH.

At sunset, however, M2 having neither returned to harbour, nor been sighted, and no surfacing signal having been received from her, the Titania commenced to call her by wireless. As she was unable to establish communication by wireless, two submarines, and all available surface vessels from Portland were at once despatched to search for the submarine in the area in which she had been operating.

At the same time the Commander-in-Chief, Portsmouth, and the Submarine Headquarters at Fort Blockhouse, Gosport, were informed by wireless signal that M2 was missing, the immediate result being that the complete organisation for searching for, and salving, submarines was brought into force. force.

Sweeping operations were commenced, and have continued unceasingly ever since, all possible means of locating the submarine, including aircraft, being employed under the direction of Rear-Admiral, Submarines, but so far without success. Numerous obstructions have been caught in the sweeps, but on examination by divers have been proved to be old wrecks.

The position mentioned by the Master of the steamship, Tynesider, has been intensively searched, but has revealed nothing up to date.

MOST UNUSUAL FEATURE.

The complete absence of any sign of floating wreckage, or of oil, or air bubbles, is a most unusual feature of the case. The Coxswain of M2's cap (floating) a canvas bag, containing a pair of hand-flags, as used only by submarines, and also a chief petty officer's collar have been found—the last two in a sweep which had fouled an obstruction.

A full inquiry into all the circumstances will be held in due course, but until the submarine has been located and examined the cause of the disaster must remain unknown.

I am sure that the House would not wish me to close this statement without expressing, on behalf of us all, our profound regret as the loss of so many valuable lives in the performance of duty, and our deep sympathy with those who have suffered bereavement.

WRIT AGAINST NEW SOUTH WALES.

COMMONWEALTH TO COVER DEFAULT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

"In the ultimate resort the Commonwealth is responsible for the interest to which New South Wales has defaulted," said Mr. Joseph Lyons, Premier of the Australian Commonwealth, in a statement to-day, referring to the decision of the Government of New South Wales to suspend all interest payments on loans, upon which they are also reported to be seeking a year's moratorium.

"New South Wales, however, is directly responsible to holders of securities in the loan concerned. Under the 1929 financial agreement New South Wales was bound to provide the Commonwealth with the amounts required to meet all interest on the public debt of New South Wales, to the extent to which liabilities exceeded £243,000 monthly, payable by the Commonwealth under that head.

"The Commonwealth will continue to provide the £243,000, but will pay it direct to holders of New South Wales stock and bonds instead of to the New South Wales Government. The method of doing this, having regard to the total New South Wales debt, requires careful consideration.

"The Commonwealth is entitled to compel New South Wales to pay to the Commonwealth the interest due, and as the Commonwealth proposes to exercise this right, separate proceedings by the bondholders against New South Wales will not be necessary.

"Any moneys recovered," Mr. Lyons continued, "will be applied to the payment of interest. The Commonwealth will issue a writ to-morrow for the recovery of the amount and will take any other measures within its power to compel New South Wales to honour its obligations."

PRESIDENT IN THE WEST.

LIMERICK VISIT CONCLUDED.

CORDIAL GREETING IN GALWAY.

FROM OUR REPORTER.
GALWAY, Tuesday.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE suspended his election campaign to-day, and instead of proceeding direct to Galway remained in Limerick to inspect the site of the new dock extension before making a rapid tour of several of the city's principal factories.

He motored after lunch to Galway, where he will begin his drive through Connemara with a lunch hour speech to-morrow to farmers attending the fair.

President Cosgrave was gratified at the developments taking place at the Limerick docks, which, he remarked, showed that the prospects for the city's industries were good. He was particularly impressed by the progress made in the erection of a new grain elevator and store for Messrs. Bannatyne and Sons, which has been raised to a height of one hundred and ten feet, after only three weeks' work.

WOMEN WORKERS' SEND-OFF.

After being conducted over Messrs. Bannatyne's mill close by, President Cosgrave emerged with his overcoat and trousers covered with flour, but he laughingly declined the offer of a brush, saying that it would wear off during his journey.

ELECTION DATES.

Nominations......Feb. 8
Polling..............Feb. 16
Dail to Meet.......Mar. 2

Women factory hands gave him a rousing send-off as he left the Limerick Clothing Company's factory, after seeing uniforms manufactured for the National Army and the Civic Guard.

Before visiting Messrs. Matterson's bacon factory, where he was shown all processes of curing, he went over Cleeve's toffee and condensed milk factory, with the Mayor of Limerick, Alderman Donnellan, acting as guide.

THE DRIVE TO THE WEST.

After gaining this insight into Limerick's industries he resumed his journey through the West, stopping for a few visits on the way.

The first visit was to St. Flannan's College at Ennis, where he spent a quarter of an hour chatting with members of the staff, and then went on to the palace of the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop of Killaloe, where he remained for tea.

GALWAY'S GREETING.

Large crowds gathered in Eyre square to welcome Mr. Cosgrave on his arrival at Galway, and he was greeted by a pipe band, which played "The Soldier's Song."

He remained for some time discussing the situation with his local party officials, and then went on to Salthill to spend the night with Mr. Martin McDonagh, one of the candidates for the constituency.

Points from the Platforms.

The price of stock is more important than the oath, and it is time to give politics a rest and concentrate on life.—MR. P. HOGAN at Tuam.

I am declaring on behalf of Fianna Fail that the policy we stand for is one which, if adopted, will lead to permanent peace between Irishmen, between Ireland and its neighbours; and in economic matters we stand, not for Communism, but for a constructive alternative to Communism.—MR. LEMASS at Dublin.

The people of England do not care about the oath, and it is merely used by the Government to threaten their political opponents.—MR. DE VALERA at Thomastown.

Mr. de Valera has publicly declared that he does not recognise the Government elected by the majority of the Irish people, and that his aims were the overthrow of that Government by force of arms.—MR. FITZGERALD at Thomastown.

He was convinced that what he thought could be done from 1916 to 1921 could not now be done. The thing to do now was to make the country fit for Irish people to live in.—MR. G. BOLAND at Roscommon.

FROM "THE TIMES."

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

SHANGHAI AND GENEVA.

In a leading article *The Times* to-day states:—Mr. Henderson delivered yesterday afternoon his opening address to the World Disarmament Conference at Geneva. The speech is a sober and conventional presentation of the case for the reduction and limitation of armaments, and it is bound to seem all the more academic for having been read in the midst of the grave reports pouring in from Shanghai and Nanking. Many of his sayings are not only profoundly true, but will continue to be debated, and it may be hoped will have their sequence in action when the present turmoil is past.

The President of the Conference is undoubtedly right when he declares the world wants disarmament, the world needs disarmament. Unhappily for most people, even apart from the trouble in the Far East, it is difficult to believe that it is going to get it just now. Mr. Henderson apparently does not share these doubts. "I refuse to contemplate even the possibility of failure," he said yesterday. That the Conference was inaugurated to the thundering salute of guns fired in battle does not seem to have disconcerted him at all. The present crisis has neither dimmed his faith nor impaired his optimism.

GRAVE IRREGULARITIES.

Without any doubt, public opinion in this country will support, adds *The Times*, the policy outlined by the Foreign Secretary, and will only ask that it shall be conducted with all the necessary vigour; and American opinion is becoming even more roused than British against what our Shanghai Correspondent mildly calls the Japanese excesses. The Japanese nation must begin to realise by this time that its naval and military representatives in China are rapidly turning the opinion of the whole world against their country, and forfeiting much of the support which it formerly enjoyed.

BREAKING THE VICIOUS CIRCLE.

TASK OF THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

MR. HENDERSON'S ADDRESS AT GENEVA.

THE greatest effort the world has ever made to organise peace by disarmament was initiated yesterday afternoon at Geneva, under the auspices of the League of Nations, despite the war alarums echoing through Eastern Asia.

Mr. Arthur Henderson, Britain's ex-Foreign Minister, as President of the Conference, opened the proceedings with a long address, in which he dealt with the events leading up to the Conference, and explained to the delegates the detailed purpose of their meeting.

There was nothing controversial in all his declarations, which met with general approbation.

The rest of the proceedings yesterday were purely formal. After the election of M. Motta, the Swiss President, as Honorary President of the Conference, Mr. Henderson proposed the creation of three committees—the first for the verification of credentials, the second for the elaboration of rules of procedure, and the third for the drafting of rules governing the presentation of petitions from national and international organisations.

The committees will begin their work to-day, and a special plenary meeting is to be held on Saturday morning for the reception of the enormous British and other disarmament petitions that have arrived in Geneva.

NO CONTEMPLATION OF FAILURE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
GENEVA, Tuesday.

THE electoral hall, where the meetings of the assembly are usually held, was packed with a gathering which included representatives of all the principal nations of the world.

It was a somewhat sombre gathering so far as colour goes, the only bright spot being the white silk head-dress and gold kefieh of the Hedjaz representative.

The space set apart for the delegates was crowded to an uncomfortable degree. There were four serried ranks of experts, secretaries, and other coadjutors right round the hall.

Mr. Henderson, looking very much less vigorous than the robust figure last known in Geneva, opened the meeting at the hour fixed.

After declaring open the proceedings of the first world conference on disarmament, Mr. Henderson said:—"Before passing on to the main subject I feel bound to refer to the tragic fact that at the moment when this Conference—the very purpose of which is to take steps towards the maintenance of peace—begins its work we are confronted with a situation of such extreme gravity as that which now exists in the Far East.

"It is imperative that all the signatories of the Covenant of the League of Nations and of the Briand-Kellogg Pact should make it their business to ensure the strict observance of these two great safeguards against acts of violence and war.

MR. HENDERSON.

"Assembled here are the chosen spokesmen of seventeen hundred million people. There is no human being, whether his home is in one of the great centres of industry and population, in the deserts of Africa, in the jungles of the East, or amid the ice of the Arctic regions, who has not someone here to speak in his name. I need not enlarge upon the representative character of the Conference—the most important international gathering since the termination of the world war in 1918—except to say that some sixty Governments are represented.

DELEGATES' WORK.

The task before the Conference is:—

(a) To arrive at a collective agreement on an effective programme of practical proposals speedily to secure a substantial reduction and limitation of all national armaments.

(b) To determine that no armaments may be maintained outside the scope of that treaty by which all nations represented here are to make the achievement of universal disarmament their common aim.

(c) To ensure continuity of advance towards our ultimate goal, without detracting in any way from the fullest measure of success of our immediate effort, by planning the holding of similar conferences at reasonably short intervals of time.

The making of such an international treaty, Mr. Henderson pointed out, in reality involves the whole issue of peace or war.

OPPORTUNITIES.

Continuing, the President said:—

"The world is looking to us to make a definite advance along the road to general disarmament. I would remind you that life—for nations as well as for individuals—is a story of opportunities missed, as well as of opportunities seized, and that some of the great tragedies of history have been due, not to wantonness of action, but to the folly of inaction. Our task at this Conference is one that calls imperatively for clear, definite and constructive action.

"The League of Nations, whose initiative has brought us together, has, ever since its foundation, worked continuously for the organisation of peace. It has worked with a growing consciousness that at the heart of the problem of peace is this question of disarmament. We have to break the vicious circle in which the nations of the world are again in danger of being caught. A sense of insecurity leads to an increase of armaments; an increase in armaments further aggravates the sense of insecurity; and, unless the circle can be broken, the process goes inevitably forward. The overburdened nations can then find no release from their mutual distrust, except in open conflict." Mr. Henderson followed with a somewhat exhaustive historical survey of the events leading up to the present Conference, and stressed the view that a long process of preparation had been necessary to ensure ultimate success, and added:—

"If a Disarmament Conference had been convened ten years previously, on the basis of the text of Article 8 of the Covenant, that Conference would certainly, owing to lack of adequate preparation, have ended in disaster."

The last step towards the preparation of this Conference was taken by the Assembly of the League in September, 1931. It addressed a general appeal to all countries urging that every effort should be made to create a world opinion strong enough to enable this Conference to achieve positive results. It also recommended, with a view to creating a favourable atmosphere for this Conference, that all States should undertake to become parties to an armaments truce with the object of preventing competition in armaments pending the conclusion of a convention for their reduction and limitation. In concluding his long address Mr. Henderson said:—

"Need I remind the Conference that the problem of disarmament is vitally relevant to the grave economic and financial crisis for which most nations are at the moment trying to find a solution? The financial burden of armaments and of past wars, indeed, is one of its main contributory causes. It is one of the principal causes of unbalanced Budgets in a large number of countries. There may be difficulty in finding a common denominator for the armaments of the various countries. But I would yet venture to quote to you a figure which has been made by the competent services of the Secretariat as representing an average of the military expenditure of sixty-one countries during the last four or five years. That total figure reaches the immense sum of 4,000 million dollars a year.

"World opinion demands that every effort be made at this Conference to achieve a substantial reduction of this prodigious expenditure. That is not merely because such expenditure is entirely unproductive, but also because even the maintenance of armaments on their present level constitutes a menace to the peace of the world. Every delegation, both in its own country and on arriving here at Geneva, will have received clear and convincing proof of the intense interest and hope with which public opinion all over the world has followed the preparations for this Conference and is prepared to follow its proceedings.

NO FAILURE.

"I refuse to contemplate even the possibility of failure. For, if we fail, no one can foretell the evil consequences that might ensue. But of this we may be certain: the world would again be in danger of falling back into the vain and perilous competition of rapidly expanding armaments. That is the inexorable alternative to success."

Rounds of applause greeted the end of Mr. Henderson's fine effort.

MENACING PORTENTS OF WAR.

VIEWS OF ARCHBISHOPS OF CANTERBURY AND YORK.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, who presided at a disarmament demonstration in London last night, referring to the Geneva Conference, described it as "fateful."

"I say that," he said, "because, having regard to the number of nations represented and the vastness of the issues at stake, it is beyond question the most momentous gathering of representatives in the world since the end of the War.

"The world is still involved in the net of War debts and reparations, which is throttling it in its desire to get free to restore its economic life.

"As we meet there is this sinister and menacing portent of acts of war—they are little else—taking place between two nations.

ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY.

"This Conference must not part until there has been a clear and definite step towards general disarmament."

The Archbishop of York said that when nations consented to construct only such armaments as all nations in council agreed, the greatest of all steps would have been taken from the stage of political barbarism, in which competition was dominant over co-operation, to that of political civilisation, where co-operation was dominant over competition.

Referring to the position in Shanghai, the Archbishop of York said:—

"It is not open to anyone, who has a trace of human sympathy about him, to regard as tolerable that an open quarter of a crowded civilian town should be bombed from the air.

"We should desire our country, through its representatives on the League Council, to take a lead in insisting upon the League's authority being observed in such a dispute as has broken out in the Far East."

ENGLAND-CAPE AIR MAIL ARRIVES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
CAPE TOWN, Tuesday.

The City of Karachi, with the first air mail from England, landed here this evening. The flight occupied thirteen days, and, except for a forced landing in Rhodesia owing to a heavy storm, was uneventful.

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THE SCENE OF NEW TROUBLE IN CHINA.

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CONCENTRATE ON CATTLE PRICES.

"GIVE POLITICS A REST."

MINISTER'S ADVICE TO FARMERS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

TUAM, Tuesday.

SPEAKING at Tuam to-night, Mr. Hogan, Minister for Agriculture, said that it was almost unnatural to have the same Government in power for nine years, and this country would never be normal until there was a change, but every man knew that it was impossible to say what would happen if de Valera got into power.

The price of live stock was more important than the oath or other issues raised. It was absolutely time to give politics a rest and concentrate on life.

The Fianna Fail tariff policy if put into operation could have only one effect, and that was to increase the price of everything that the farmer and labourer had to buy.

How, in these bad times, would the increase of taxation on the one end, and the increase of the cost of living on the other improve the conditions of the people?

THE SUPPRESSION OF CRIME.

GOVERNMENT'S DETERMINATION

From Our Own Correspondent.

THOMASTOWN, Tuesday.

Addressing a meeting at Thomastown today, which was fair day, Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald said that Mr. de Valera had publicly declared that he did not recognise the Government elected by the majority of the Irish people, and that his aims were the overthrowing of the Government by force of arms.

The Government, said Mr. Fitzgerald, were determined to put down the gunman at all costs. Criminals who were prepared to murder Civic Guards should be locked up, and he asked his audience was five years too much for a man who tried to murder a Civic Guard?

Mr. D. J. Gorey said that for the past ten years the Government were trying to build with one hand what Mr. de Valera's followers had burned, and to defend the State with the other.

MR. DE VALERA AND THE OATH.

ENGLAND DOES NOT CARE ABOUT IT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

THOMASTOWN, Tuesday.

Mr. de Valera addressed a large meeting here to-day, and referring to the economic question, said that in 1931 they purchased more that £29,000,000 worth of British goods, and they exported £26,000,000.

Fianna Fail, if returned to power, proposed to take the oath out of the Constitution, for it was essential for the good will of Irishmen and co-operation amongst all classes.

The people of England, said Mr. de Valera, did not care about it, and it was merely used by the Government to threaten their political opponents.

Mr. Shaun Gibbons, Fianna Fail candidate, described Mr. Desmond Fitzgerald as the Minister of Offence instead of the Minister for Defence.

Mr. Thomas Derrig also addressed the meeting.

LAND ANNUITIES TO BE HELD.

MR. DE VALERA'S PROMISE AT CARLOW.

From Our Own Correspondent.

CARLOW, Tuesday.

Speaking at a great gathering at the Hay Market here to-night Mr. de Valera said that it was the largest meeting he had ever addressed in Carlow. It showed that the Fianna Fail policy had not been founded in vain. It was founded to give an opportunity to Irish Nationalists who had decided to come together again. They knew if there was to be progress again for this nation that it was necessary for these divided forces to be brought together again. They recognised that it would have to be done some time, and some way and some where, and they decided that it should be done at the time it was done, and Fianna Fail was now a common ground for all Irish Nationalists.

They were working in the past to get for the Irish people the right of being able to make their own laws, and to determine the policy in their own interests. That was their policy when working together from 1917. They worked to get rid of foreign interference in this country, because they saw the withering effect that foreign interference had upon this country. They decided to try and put a stop to it.

Dealing with the question of land purchase annuities, he said that Britain had guaranteed the payment of the dividends under the Act of 1920. Fianna Fail held that the land annuities were not a just debt, and consequently they would, if returned to power, retain them for the Irish people. The Fianna Fail Party would undertake to have the laws obeyed, but they would have to be just laws. They did not propose to govern by Coercion Acts.

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WHEN FIANNA FAIL IS IN POWER.

WHAT MR. DE VALERA WILL SAY TO ENGLAND.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ROSCOMMON, Tuesday.

Mr. Gerald Boland, speaking at a Fianna Fail meeting in Roscommon, stated that he was convinced that what he thought could be done from 1916 to 1921 could not now be done. The thing to do now was to make the country fit for Irish people to live in.

Fianna Fail, he said, knew that the British market was indispensable, but they thought that there was a large home market, and that the only market that can give a proper return to the farmer is the home market.

There were strong rumours, he said, that the Government had a trump card for the elections. They were talking about preferences. What England wanted was some country to buy more from her, and she would not give any preference to this country. Mr. de Valera will say to England: "We are buying more goods from you than any other country. Ireland is indispensable to you, and if you do not give us a better deal there are other countries, such as Germany, from whom we can get our manufactured goods."

SOUTH DUBLIN CITY.

FIANNA FAIL'S PLEDGE.

Mr. Sean Lemass, speaking last night at a meeting in support of the Fianna Fail candidates for South City Dublin, said that Fianna Fail policy was being misrepresented on Government platforms as being related to Communism. Neither in speech, poster nor leaflet did the Government give a single indication of a policy of their own. They were bankrupt in that direction, and that was the reason that they were constantly talking of war, the possibility of disturbance and the supposed association of Fianna Fail with Communism.

"I am declaring officially from this platform to-night," said Mr. Lemass, "on behalf of Fianna Fail that the policy we stand for is one, which if adopted will lead to permanent peace between Irishmen, between Ireland and its neighbours; and in economic matters we stand not for Communism, but for a constructive alternative to Communism."

CARDINAL'S STATEMENT.

That policy, he proceeded, was set out by Cardinal MacRory at the Catholic Truth Conference on October 15, when he said: "We want peace; we want it for ourselves for our own sakes. God knows we have had enough fraternal strife for one generation. We want it for Ireland's sake, that she may have every opportunity of taking advantage of the instalment of freedom which she has won—the opportunity of pulling herself together, and rebuilding some, at least, of her ruined industries."

"I, here to-night," said Mr. Lemass, "guarantee to you that a Fianna Fail Government will endeavour to manage the affairs of this nation in the spirit of that statement of Cardinal MacRory. We will endeavour to secure the peace of justice and understanding and progress—permanent peace in this island."

Mr. R. Briscoe, Mr. Owen O'Rahilly and Mr. F. H. O'Donnell also spoke.

NORTH DUBLIN.

STORY OF ENGLISH COMPANY'S OFFER.

At a meeting in support of the Fianna Fail candidates for North Dublin, held in Blessington street last night,

Mr. James Keogh, one of the candidates, said it had come to his knowledge that a certain big association in Great Britain had promised no less than £10,000 to the Cumann na nGaedheal Party as an election fund if they could get a promise that the 33 1-3 per cent. tariff on imported footwear would be lifted and give them a free run in the country.

Mr. Oscar Traynor, another candidate, said that there was a feeling throughout the country that they had seen the end of the present Government, and deputations had come from the country to Fianna Fail headquarters asking for the right to put up extra candidates. There was great enthusiasm in the country, and he hoped that Dublin would give a lead.

Mr. Blythe had recently boasted that Cumann na nGaedheal had attracted to its ranks the Unionists of Ireland. What did that mean? It meant the union of Ireland with England, and that was what Mr. Blythe boasted of.

A WATERFORD PETITION.

MAYOR'S LETTER TO CITIZENS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WATERFORD, Tuesday.

A well-supported petition was in readiness in Waterford to forward to the Fianna Fail Executive, requesting them to accept the Mayor of Waterford, Alderman Jones, as a candidate for the coming election in preference to Mr. Mansfield, who was selected by the Convention.

The Mayor has now sent the following letter to the local Press:—"I am informed at present that a petition directed to the headquarters of Fianna Fail is being extensively signed in the city in favour of my standing as a candidate in Fianna Fail interests in this constituency. While deeply appreciating the kindly motives of those associated with the petition, I wish to make it clear that I am quite prepared to abide by the decision of the Fianna Fail Executive in this matter, and in the circumstances suggest to all my friends to work hard for the return of the three Fianna Fail candidates."

There is little doubt that the rejection of Alderman Jones as a candidate has caused serious disappointment among Fianna Fail supporters in Waterford, which may have an influence at the polls.

MR. COBURN AND THE ANNUITIES.

Mr. James Coburn, Dundalk, Independent candidate for Louth, addressed a large meeting in Dunleer last evening.

Referring to the passing of the Public Safety Act for which he voted in the Dail, he said that the lives and safety of the people was the first and primary consideration of every right-thinking man, and if we were to progress as a nation secret societies and dangerous organisations such as Saor Eire must be made impossible, and put down with a strong hand.

While he would favour the retention of land annuities in Ireland, he would only agree subject to the bondholders being paid.

A GOVERNMENT "SECRET."

PARISH PRIEST AND FIANNA FAIL VICTORY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MANORHAMILTON, Tuesday.

Addressing a Fianna Fail meeting at Ballaghameehan, North Leitrim, the Rev. Eugene Coyle, P.P., Devenish, said that it had leaked out that Cumann na nGaedheal experts, on the reports of their organisers, had now concluded that Fianna Fail would gain at least ten seats at the expense of the Government Party. That little secret had leaked out, just as the Freemasons' circular had leaked out.

Dealing with the oath, Father Coyle said that it was not to become members of the British Empire, or to swear allegiance to England's King that Ireland's sons in every generation had marched undaunted to the prison cell and to the scaffold. Fianna Fail would stand for the law and order of free men, not of slaves. Robbers, burglars, or other criminals would have no mercy, but men like Sean O'Farrell would come forth from jail and receive honour from their fellow-countrymen.

The proposed memorial to England's soldiers was a national scandal. There was no memorial to the men of Easter Week—men like Sean McDermott, a Leitrim man—whose bodies were smouldering in quick-lime graves.

Father Coyle supported the retention of the land annuities, and said that, as a parish priest of thirty-five years' standing, he knew more about what was mortal sin than Mr. Ernest Blythe.

THE FLEET IN BANTRY BAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BANTRY, Tuesday.

A very large and representative meeting in favour of the candidature of Mr. J. Travers Wolfe, T.D., solicitor, was held tonight in Bantry.

Mr. Wolfe said that the present Government was not an ideal one, but he would reiterate that it was the only possible Government for the country, except that the people were again going to start mad and return to the condition of things they had left. The President was a white man. It was clear beyond doubt that never during the last two hundred years in the political life of this country had there been a politician in Irish life who had won greater admiration than Mr. William T. Cosgrave. He owed no allegiance to Mr. Cosgrave, but he had a great deal of affection and admiration for him. Could they tell him, in the name of Heaven, if they turned Mr. Cosgrave out of office, who would they put there instead of him?

If Fianna Fail came into power the first thing they would want to do was to drive the Fleet out of Bantry Bay. That was not his (Mr. Wolfe's) policy, and if the people of Bantry thought it was right to drive them out, they should not vote for him.

THE SMOKE SCREEN OF THE OATH.

Mr. J. Everett, Labour candidate for County Wicklow, speaking at Bray last night, said that the proposed removal of the oath was a smoke-screen, and added that even if the oath was moved it would not give an extra day's work to one unemployed man. Labour accepted the Treaty not as a final settlement of the aspirations of the Irish people, but as an instalment which they could work to secure better conditions.

MR. JOHN GOOD'S CANDIDATURE

As announced in our advertising columns, Mr. John Good impresses on all electors in the County Dublin that, irrespective of party or politics, they can obtain at his central committee rooms, 5 Leinster street, all information regarding the registers of voters and the polling stations in his constituency.

Mr. Good, in common with other candidates, is experiencing some difficulty in convincing the residents in the old urban districts that they are still voters for the county, and that the fact that they voted at he Dublin Municipal elections has not altered their franchise in the county constituency.

EX-SERVICE MEN AND THE ELECTION.

From Our Own Correspondent.

TULLAMORE, Tuesday.

At the annual meeting of the Tullamore Branch of the British Legion, Captain G. A. Moorhead, President, said that there was a very important year in front of them, starting off with the general election. Politics were forbidden in the British Legion, but he reminded them that their first duty as ex-Service men was to the State—that was to be good citizens of the country in which they lived. As good citizens, he asked them all to exercise the franchise; he did not ask them to vote for any particular party or candidate, but when they were canvassed they should ask the candidates what views they held about ex-Service men and about the National War Memorial, and to give their votes to those who supported the ex-Service men's organisation.

Lieutenant-Colonel Howard Bury, D.S.O., with Major E. Sherlock, M.C., were elected Patrons; Captain G. A. Moorhead, President; Mr. J. E. Haines, Vice-President, and Mr. J. Browne, Chairman.

MINISTER'S STATEMENT AT KILKENNY.

Mrs. C. Despard writes to deny a statement reported to have been made by Mr. Desmond FitzGerald, Minister for Defence, at Graiguenamanagh, last Sunday, to the effect that she was a member of the Soviet Executive and of the Communist Party.

She says:—"I spent six weeks in Russia some time ago. I am not a Russian citizen, and could not possibly be on the Soviet Executive; also, I do not belong to any Communist Party."

GANDHI'S SON ARRESTED.

From Reuter's Correspondent.

NEW DELHI, Tuesday.

Devidas Gandhi, son of Mahatma Gandhi, was arrested at the railway station to-day, when on his way to the Frontier.

CIVIC GUARDS PAY "CUT."

AN ALTERNATIVE PROPOSAL.

INCREASED PENSION CONTRIBUTION.

GENERAL O'DUFFY, Commissioner of the Civic Guard, speaking to an *Irish Times* representative yesterday with reference to the proposed reduction in the pay of all ranks of the Guards, stated:

"The first decision of the Government was a 'cut' of five per cent. in the basic pay of all ranks of the Garda. This, of course, would affect pensions.

"The Representative Body is now being called to consider a new proposal—an increase of five per cent. in the deduction made from pay towards pension. So far as the Garda are immediately concerned the contribution of each member would be exactly the same amount, and the Exchequer would benefit by the same amount, but the pension prospects would not be interfered with—that is, pensions would be based on the present pay.

"The Representative Body may, of course, put up alternative proposals or amendments, and these will be considered by the Government.

"The provincial meetings which I am attending have been called for the purpose of filling the vacancies created on the Central Representative Body by the resignation of all its members, and to enable the delegates to instruct their representatives on the Central Body in regard to the new proposal, amendments thereto, or alternative proposals."

THE LEFT POCKET.

A representative member of the Guards, discussing this increased pension deduction, described the new proposition as an unacceptable one.

He said: "They were going to take our money out of our right pockets, and now they want to get it out of our left pockets.

"We were looking forward to a situation in which the State would be aided in this financial crisis by a voluntary acceptance by all State services of reduced incomes. If all the services were in the same boat, the pull would be distributed in such a way that the shares of the burden of reduction would be small."

THE SWEEPSTAKE PRIZE DRAWING.

COMMISSION FOR WELL-KNOWN ARTIST.

The Irish Hospitals' Sweepstake directors have enlisted the services of Mr. Aubrey Hammond to design a new setting of the stage for the forthcoming draw on the Grand National Sweepstake, which will be held in the Plaza, Dublin, on March 8th.

Mr. Hammond has just paid a visit to Dublin, and expressed great interest in the entirely new field of work that is thus presented to him.

The proposal is that his design shall not only include a fresh decoration of the drum, but the stage and its general fittings as well.

Mr. Hammond is well known to the general public for his original and striking designs for many of the most modern productions. He is at present engaged on the settings for many of the new productions for the opening of the newly built Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-on-Avon, and is also designing the new Theatre of Fashion and other features for the forthcoming *Daily Mail* Ideal Home Exhibition.

ISLAND HUNT BALL.

BIG GATHERING AT RAMSFORT HOUSE.

Island Hunt ball was held last night at Ramsfort House, Gorey, County Wexford, the residence of Lady Errington. The Master of Ceremonies was Colonel Ambrose Boxwell, the Hon. Secretary of the Hunt. Among those present were:—Countess Courtown, Lady Stopford, Mr. Montague Stopford, Colonel and Mrs. Hudson Kinahan, Mr. Hall-Dare, C. Doyne, Colonel and Mrs. Boxwell, Colonel and Mrs. Vandeleur, Mr. David J. Bolger and Mrs. Bolger, Mr. P. Bolger, Lady McGrath, Miss Bolger, Mr. G. Smith, Mr. Wordsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Mernagh, Mrs. Kennett Coope, Messrs. George Warren, Edward Warren and Harry Warren, Mrs. Doyne, Mr. Nunn, Mr Braddell, Miss Donovan, Dr. and Mrs. Dwyer, Miss Kent, Miss Doyle, Captain Doyle, Mr. Moore, Miss Best, Mr. F. M O'Connor, Mr. C. J. Lett, Mrs. O'Keeffe, Mr. Metge, Mr. Skrine, Mr. Hipwell, Miss Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, Captain and Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. Barrington Jellett, Miss Harvey, Miss Mullally, Mr. Irvine, Mrs. Poe, Miss Lamont, Mrs. Weiner, Mrs. Somerville, Superintendent Millard, Dr. Bastable, Mr. Hickey, Mr. Charles Webster, Mr Jack Johnson, Miss Lowndes, Mr. Thomas Fitzsimons, Mr. Allen Iowatt, Miss Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Connolly, Miss Connolly, Dr. and Mrs. Burke, Miss Pauline Devine, Mr. O'Donnell, Mr. Browne, Mr. Noonan, Miss McLeod, Mr. Wrixon, Miss Morgan, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Boxwell, Mr. Frank Roche, Miss Ryan, Mr. and Miss Gibbon, Mr. and Miss O'Morcoe, Captain White, Dr. and Mrs. Furlong, Captain and Mrs. Braddell, Mr and Mrs. McDonald, Mr. Doyne, Colonel Quin, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Captain and Mrs. Braddish.

THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER.

Members of the Labour group on the Birmingham City Council yesterday opposed a resolution which recommended that the freedom of the city should be conferred on Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The Labour motion was defeated, and the resolution to confer the freedom was carried by 86 votes to 17.

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THE SEDITIOUS LIBEL CHARGE.

STATE OFFICIAL'S EVIDENCE.

WHEN DECISION WAS TAKEN TO PROSECUTE.

IT was stated at yesterday's resumed hearing of the charge of seditious libel against the *Irish Press* and its editor, Mr. Frank Gallagher, that the decision to prosecute was taken at a conference attended by the Free State Minister for Justice, the Attorney-General, and Mr. Stephen Roche, the acting Secretary of the Department of Justice, and others who were not named.

WHY PROCEEDINGS WERE TAKEN

Mr. Roche, in evidence, said that since 1st September, 1930, no affidavit alleging ill-treatment of prisoners by Civic Guards had been received. The last one received was in November, 1927.

If unsworn information from responsible persons was received the Police Commissioner was asked to investigate and take disciplinary action, if necessary.

Mr. Roche said that, if the Police Commissioner believed that an officer had threatened a prisoner no inquiry would be necessary, because the Commissioner would penalise the officer in a disciplinary manner.

Mr. Geoghegan (defending)—If a police inquiry were set up would it be conveyed to the uniformed members of the force that they were free to give any statement or evidence that they liked as regards plain clothes men?—I would not consider it necessary to warn any member of the Guards to tell the truth.

In this Loughrea case there was no inquiry on oath?—That is so, and I will be happy to give the reason. No complaint reached the Commissioner's department or any responsible person about these alleged happenings until we read them in the *Irish Press*. The Commissioner took steps immediately on 22nd December to have an inquiry made, in the informal sense, and one of the highest officers from headquarters was directed to investigate. That officer reported that the allegations were unfounded, but before we had time to think what our next step would be, the statements were repeated in the *Irish Press*, and then a decision was come to, that the proper way to investigate the matter was to take proceedings before this Tribunal.

FACTS WANTED.

Mr. Geoghegan—I presume you knew that the form of proceedings taken here did not enable or permit the truth or falsehood of these statements to be investigated?—We wanted the facts.

But the truth or falsehood of these charges was not an issue under seditious libel?—There would be an investigation here.

Mr. Roche said that the reason why he advised the specific form of proceedings was that he considered the allegations unfair, and the form of their presentation was unfair.

"As the matter was urgent to the reputation of the Civic Guards we considered the sooner the proceedings took place and the higher the court that heard the case then the better."

Mr. Geoghegan—Don't you see that by bringing it here as seditious libel there was no better way of throwing a wet blanket over the whole thing?—I knew you would be invited to put up your defence

Mr. Geoghegan—Are you suggesting that there is any charge being investigated by this Court except the charges on record?—I was present in court when counsel for the State said that they welcomed the investigation of the actual facts, either before this Tribunal or anywhere else.

Therefore, when framing these proceedings you anticipated that counsel for the State would make a public statement, that he welcomed investigation?—I did.

Then that was part of the scheme concocted to throw a blanket over the whole thing?—These proceedings were taken not to seek refuge, but deliberately to investigate the whole facts, and show that the allegations made were not only seditious, but were untrue.

Why did you not take action for criminal libel?—Criminal libel is not an offence included in the schedule of the Constitution Amendment Act.

Mr. Geoghegan asked the witness how he expected the truth to become an issue in the investigation when Plower, Burke and Kavanagh were not parties to the charges.

Mr. Roche replied that the investigation before the Tribunal was the best that could have taken place.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

Mr. Geoghegan—Do you know that seditious libels one hundred years ago were deliberately brought to keep out the truth?—I do not.

Mr. Roche, answering further questions, agreed that affidavits concerning ill-treatment of prisoners or persons being interrogated by the police had reached the Minister for Justice in earlier years, and such matters had been discussed in the Dail.

Mr. Geoghegan—And such a matter of great public interest may be dealt with and commented on by the journalist?—Oh, yes, if the statements were true. The Commissioner decided they were unfounded.

Did the Commissioner's considerations include any report on Kavanagh's case at all? No

Mr. Roche reverted to the conference at which the decision to prosecute the *Irish Press* was taken, and said that the Attorney-General, who was present, said then that his policy was to go into the whole truth of the statements, and have a decision one way or the other as to whether the statements were true or false.

The Minister for Justice was present at that conference, and they concurred on taking action for seditious libel.

Mr. Geoghegan—And that conference anticipated a statement by counsel that they did not mind the truth being investigated?—Yes.

Did you consider that fair?—Absolutely.

I put it to you that this is an outrage on this Tribunal?—No; on the contrary, it is a high compliment.

Is it not an attempt to humbug the public? By no means.

Is it not an attempt to mislead the public by the statement that they wanted the facts when the proceedings were deliberately framed the other way?—No.

Mr. Geoghegan said that he wished to make it clear that, while the *Irish Press* made grave charges against detective officers, there was no suggestion whatever against uniformed members of the Civic Guard.

BURKE'S STATEMENT.

Chief Superintendent David Neligan, who is in charge of the detective branch of the Civic Guard, said that, following the publication of the articles in the *Irish Press*, he went to Loughrea, where he saw John Burke, the author of one complaint about ill-treatment. Burke made a statement reaffirming allegations of assault, but was unable to name the officers concerned. In a footnote to that statement Burke said: "The statement in the *Irish Press*, which says that I named all the officers, is wrong. I don't know one of them."

Superintendent Neligan told that he learned that Burke's statement was written by a girl named Jenny Hynes, and he regarded it as a piece of propaganda. Miss Hynes, he believed, was only a tool in the hands of somebody else.

Mr. Geoghegan—Whose was the hand that held the tool?—I am not going to say who it was.

The Tribunal adjourned until to-day.

BRITISH TARIFF BILL.

LABOUR PARTY'S VOTE OF CENSURE.

The Prime Minister, in the House of Commons yesterday, informed Mr. Lansbury that the Government had been engaged during the recess in studying the trade balance of the country in all its aspects, with a view to the formulation of schemes for meeting the present situation. It had been decided to introduce a bill, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer would propose the necessary financial resolutions in Committee of Ways and Means on Thursday.

It is the intention of the Government, he said, to press forward with the bill, and place it on the Statute Book at the very earliest possible date. (Hear, hear.) In view of the state of the business before Easter, and particularly the urgency of passing the Trade Bill into law, the Government must regretfully ask private members to sacrifice their time. This motion, he added, would be moved to-day. The course of business would, therefore, be—Wednesday, the motion he had mentioned, and, if the House agreed, consideration of a resolution approving Order No. 3 under the Abnormal Importations (Customs Duties) Act. Thursday—Committee of Ways and Means. The business for Friday would be announced later, and, if there were time on any day, further Orders might be taken.

Mr. Lansbury said that in view of the fact that the Government was hopelessly divided—(laughter)—on this most important measure, he would ask the Prime Minister if he would give time on or before Thursday to debate a motion of censure which they had put on the paper—namely,

"That this House can have no confidence—(laughter)—in a Government which confesses its inability to decide upon a united policy and proposes to violate the long-established constitutional principle of Cabinet responsibility by carrying a tariff measure of far-reaching effect, which several Ministers declare will be disastrous to the trade and industry of this country."

He would ask the Prime Minister whether it was really decent, with the motion on the paper, to discuss legislation against which four of his Ministers were going to speak and vote. Would it not be more decent to allow the House to discuss the matter previously?

The Prime Minister said that they would be very glad to meet the challenge thrown down at the earliest moment, but the first duty of the House was to go on with this Finance Bill. It was quite impossible this week, but an opportunity would be given next week to discuss the motion of censure. If the leader of the Opposition cared to take Friday he would be glad to accommodate him. (Laughter.)

WILL OF THE LATE MR. L. R. F. STRANGWAYS.

Mr. Leonard Richard Fleming Strangways, M.A., T.C.D., M.R.I.A., of Poplar Cottage, Addlestone, Surrey, formerly headmaster of St. Stephen's Green Grammar School, Dublin, who died on 20th November last, aged seventy-four years, left estate of the gross value of £5,028, with net personalty £4,065.

Probate of his will has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Alice Helen Beatrice Strangways, of the same address, the sole executrix.

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A TALE OF T CITIES.

PROBABLE INCREA IN RATES.

WATERWORKS AND T RELIEF OF UNEMPLO

DUBLIN.—The City Manager of and his staff are at present very engaged in preparing the estima revenue and expenditure for the fi year 1932-3. Mr. Sherlock's report having received the proposed expe estimates of the different departme the Corporation, will be submitted Estimates Sub-committee for conside and review in conjunction with th Manager. The outcome of these de tions will be a final sum on whi rates will be struck.

It is possible that there may be increase in next year's rate unless ing economies can be effected.

Such a possible increase in the r fall only on the old city rate though the main cause is an interest. The Bohernabreena Wate which belonged to the old Rathmin payers, have had to be repaired at of £30,000. Nothing of this expe can be charged to the Rathmine Under the Greater Dublin Act, amalgamated Pembroke and Rat with Dublin, those former urban were secured an exemption from i rates for a period of five years. of these exemption years have with the result that all impro made in Rathmines or Pembroke the next three years will be a f from the old city to the ratep those districts.

30,000 UNEMPLOYE

BELFAST.—It is virtually cert there will be an increase in Bel rates during the coming year, d cipally to the greater demand fo ployed relief. The Belfast Bo Guardians want 2d. or 3d. in the for distress relief schemes for th have exhausted their unemploymen and have no visible means of supp

It is stated that 30,000 men a ployed in Belfast, and the Corpor already expended about £1,250 relief schemes, such as road ments, and this will involve a fu in the £ on the rates for loan cha possibly an additional 7d. within few years.

OBITUARY.

VERY REV. R. J. COLFER,

The death took place on Monda Very Rev. R. J. Colfer, O.C.C., House of Studies, Ardavon, Rathg was a son of John Colfer, of House, Co. Wexford. After edu the Carmelite College, Terenure, Clongowes Wood College, he ente Carmelite Order in 1885, was ordain in 1891, and shortly afterwards Master of Novices. He was Pre Terenure College from 1899 to again from 1906 to 1908. From 1919 he was in the United State he was Pastor of Middletown, N State. On his return to Ireland as Prior at Kinsale, and once mor President of Terenure College. to 1929 he was Provincial of the

THE REV. P. J. MITCHELL

The death occurred at the Cott pital, Spilsby, Lincolnshire, on Su of the Rev. Percy James Mitch during his career in the ministr many years in Ireland. He gradu at Trinity College, Dublin, in B.D. in 1916. Before going to shire in 1923 he was for a short master of Viscount Weymouth's School, Carrickmacross. He was Bloomfield during the ten years to 1923. During his long car clergyman he was stationed at Shinrone (King's County), Ennis, Tomgraney, Kilmore Erris (Count Ballinasloe and Ballysluane.

MR. CHARLES R. TOD

The death is announced as hav place in San Remo of Mr. Cha Todd, well known in his younge sporting circles in Dublin.

At Trinity College, Dublin, he ga prizes for running, and rowing als much of his attention, and he bec dent of the Dublin University He was also one of the founders of rock Golf Club.

Mr. Todd succeeded his father, leading solicitors in the North of I Clerk of the Crown for County local secretary of the Scottish Equ Assurance Society.

BIG PRICES FOR BU

There was a spirited demand for Angus bulls at Perth yesterday, 2 over £48, a decrease of £6 on last Departments of Agriculture boug eight bulls, and one was pur Australia. Mr. Walker, Leys 330 guineas for a bull from the L Nairnshire, and the King purchase dalloch bull for two hundred gui

WITH THE CHINESE FORCES : CONSECRATION OF A BISHOP

COMFORT IN WAR.—Chinese troops, wearing thick clothing and warm headgear to combat the wintry conditions, on guard at Shanghai.

READY FOR BATTLE.—Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the Commander-in-Chief of the Chinese Army, goes to war mounted on his diminutive charger, Black Dragon.

CUP FINAL.—G. V. Smyth (No. 7), of the "A" team, passes the ball when tackled low in the final of the Royal College of Surgeons' Inter-Challenge Cup at Kimmage road, Terenure, Dublin, yesterday. The cup went to the "H" team.

PRESENTATION TO MATRON.—Miss Elizabeth M. Power was presented with a silver tray, cheque and dressing case yesterday, on her resignation from the matronship of the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin.

AN IRISH "CARMEN."—Miss Betty Thompson, who hails from County Monaghan, takes the title rôle in "Carmen," to be presented by the Carl Rosa Opera Company at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, next week. Her brother, Dr. J. K. S. Thompson, will be remembered as captain of the Irish Rugby XV. in 1923.

SMILES OF VICTORY.—J. H. Armstrong, their captain (with cup), "chaired" by members of the "H" team after the victory.

THE INTRUDER.—This little terrier caused much merriment by chasing the ball during the Rugby match at Terenure.

ANCIENT CROSS.—Workmen restoring the cross at Kilgobbin, Co. Dublin—one of the oldest in Ireland.

CONSECRATION OF A BISHOP.—The procession of clergy to St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, yesterday, when the Ven. William Hardy Holmes, LL.D., was consecrated Bishop of Tuam, Killala and Achonry. Above: The new bishop.

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"HAMLET."

A GATE THEATRE PRODUCTION.

Claudius (King of Denmark)	Hilton Edwards.
Hamlet (Prince of Denmark)	Micheal MacLiammoir.
Player King	T. W. Dunscombe.
Player Queen	Betty Chancellor.
Gertrude (Queen of Denmark)	Coralie Carmichael.
Ophelia	Meriel Moore.
Polonius	William Dennis.
Ghost of Hamlet's Father	Orson Welles
And others.	
Produced by	Hilton Edwards

In a programme note to the first production of "Hamlet" by the Gate Theatre last night, Mr. Hilton Edwards says: "It is almost impossible at this date to do anything new with 'Hamlet.' It is even undesirable. Rather is it time to deliver the play from much 'newness,' that it may emerge in the pristine simplicity and power that is so much a part of its greatness." While it may not be either possible or desirable to do anything completely new with "Hamlet," it is still, and probably always will be, both desirable and possible to have a novel interpretation. We have become so familiarised with Hamlets who played as if they suffered from epilepsy, combined with St. Vitus's Dance, that anything approaching the Shakespearian must be hailed with joy.

And that is precisely how Mr. MacLiammoir's Hamlet should be hailed. "The whole function conforming to his conceit." he offers a Hamlet who is logical and sentimental, simple and sophisticated, cunning and cowardly, and, above all, an acceptable and knowable human being. The novelty of his interpretation, and of the entire production, lies in the fact that the famous soliloquies are spoken exactly as thoughts; they are never used as set recitations, for which the audience is expected to prick its ears. Because of this "Hamlet" has all the freshness of the latest play by Eugene O'Neill, and much of the complexity of one by Pirandello. So in his effort to eschew "newness" Mr. Edwards has actually achieved the unknown Shakespeare.

EFFECT OF SIMPLICITY.

Through simplicity Mr. Edwards has brought the magnificence of the play into strong relief. The story is clear-cut, running with that inevitableness which is the mark of the master dramatist, and such "cuts" as have been necessary do not impair the tremendous impetuosity of the verse. "Thus we are able to offer," as Mr. Edwards says, "an almost complete Hamlet, with the scenes played in exactly the order in which Shakespeare intended they should be played."

With such a large company it could not be expected that all the parts would be played with competence, but some performances reached a remarkably high level. The Polonius of Mr. William Dennis was sheer joy; he was the fussy, pedagogic personage to perfection, and in his presentation he displayed comedic talent of a high and unsuspected order. Mr. Hilton Edwards himself did exceedingly well as Claudius, his auburn locks adding to the brilliance of the *ensemble*. Miss Meriel Moore's Ophelia was as naturalistic as Mr. MacLiammoir's Hamlet, and the restraint with which she played added enormously to her final scene. The Player King and Queen, Mr. T. W. Dunscombe and Miss Betty Chancellor, were excellent, Mr. Dunscombe being especially good in the Hecuba recital. The Ghost was very beautifully played by Mr. Orson Welles; he delivered his lines with just the proper tone to suggest the supernatural.

The entire production is worthy of the fine reputation of the Gate Theatre, and the settings and costumes are, in design and colourings, as beautiful as any that have ever been seen in the theatre. The "Hamlet" probably will rank as one of the major achievements of Messrs. MacLiammoir and Edwards, and it deserved the tribute of last night's large audience and the enthusiastic reception.

"Hamlet" will be repeated every evening this week, and at a *matinée* on Saturday afternoon.

PEACOCK THEATRE.

"DOCTOR KNOCK."

Two plays were presented last night by the Dublin Repertory Theatre Company at the Peacock Theatre. The first was "The Stronger," a monologue by Strindberg. It is spoken by Dorothy Clement, as "Mrs. X., an actress, married." She held the attention of the audience well, and her task was difficult. Hers was the only spoken part. Nancy Essery sat by and never uttered a word. With dumb show she confirmed, as "Miss Y., an acress, unmarried," a tale of betrayal and redemption, in which Mrs. X., by just "sticking it out," claimed to be the stronger. Both parts were well played.

The second play was Jules Romains's "Doctor Knock." Harley Granville Barker has done his best to accommodate the English language to this amusing French comedy, but one senses the absence of the light Gallic touch. The scenery is designed by Orson Welles, who hints of Cézanne in his modernist treatment of the moving landscape. Our medical students should see the play; the altruistic would avoid becoming Dr. Knock; the others would be glad to learn how it is done. The tips as to how to work up a practice are admirably exhibited in excellent comedy.

William Sherwood, as "Dr. Knock," had to do most of the work, and did it admirably; his quietude in manner and speech fitted well. George Wood, as the doctor, who sold a practice no better than his motor car, which was good at stopping, was a capital foil to Knock. Dorothy Casey doubled a part, and distinctly impersonated both. "Mdme. Poms," played by Nancy Essery, was a picture to the last gesture. Jonty Hanaghan, James Willis, and Kevin Molloy made good use of their opportunities. It is a good company, completed by Jack Armstrong, Nial McInnis, Leontia Cusack, and Mary Hanaghan.

NEW CUNARD LINER.

THE GOVERNMENT AND FINANCIAL HELP.

Mr. Kirkwood (Labour, Dumbarton Burghs), in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Prime Minister whether he could make any statement with regard to the resumption of work on the new Cunard liner.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald—I accept unreservedly the statement of the Cunard Company's chairman in the circular letter of January 27. For the rest the position remains as stated by the President of the Board of Trade in his reply of December 11. The Government have not been approached by the Cunard Company, and, if approached, they will give careful consideration to any proposals made to them, but the Government cannot undertake to give direct financial assistance in this case.

Mr. Kirkwood—I take it that the Government is quite prepared to receive representations from the Cunard Company with a view to the work being put in hand at once?

Mr. Macdonald—I have made it clear that the Government is always prepared to receive representations.

Mr. W. Thorne asked whether, in the event of the Cunard Company wanting assistance, the Government would consider the advisability of giving it in some form, at the lowest rate of interest.

Mr. Macdonald replied that, if the Cunard Company approached the Board of Trade, the conditions laid down on December 11 would have to be affirmed.

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FREE STATE EXCHEQUER RETURN

DEFICIT OVER A MILLION AND A HALF.

The Free State Exchequer return for the period April 1, 1931, to January 30, 1932, shows that expenditure exceeds revenue by £1,553,548. Totals:—

Expenditure	£21,189,079
Revenue	19,635,531
Deficit	£1,553,548

Compared with 1930-31, revenue this year is £112,076 more and expenditure £865,446 higher. Totals:—

REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.	
1931-32	£19,635,531	1931-32	£21,189,079
1930-31	19,523,455	1930-31	20,323,633
More	£112,076	More	£865,446

Customs compared with last year are over £600,000 up, and the income tax collection is good. Corporation profits tax shows the large difference of £179,000 less.

LAST WEEK'S FIGURES.

Compared with the same week of last year, revenue and expenditure show little change. Details:—

REVENUE.	Week ending Jan. 30, '32.	Week ending Jan. 31, '31.
Customs	£142,000	£158,000
Excise	25,000	40,000
Estate Duty	14,000	15,000
Stamps	5,000	7,000
Income Tax	234,000	217,000
Corporation Tax	5,000	33,000
Excess Profits	—	9,000
Post Office	140,000	100,000
Land and Sundry	9,726	13,450
Other Receipts	15,981	5,314
Total for week	£590,707	£598,764
EXPENDITURE.		
Central Fund	£20,332	£200,935
Supply Services	1,185,990	1,004,483
Total expenditure.	£1,206,322	£1,205,418

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

The "other receipts" were £20,000 repaid under the Coinage Act and £12,000 from Savings Certificates. £900 went out for the Shannon, £21,000 for the E.S.B., and £32,000 to pay off Savings Certificates. The draft on the Exchequer reduced the balance to £1,198,911, as compared with £1,894,443 at this time last year.

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GREGALACH ENGAGED.

SEA ROVER'S CHANCE IN THE PRINCE ALBERT HURDLE.

THE racing at Sandown Park to-day should be well worth going a long way to see; for, apart from the reappearance of Gregalach in the Mole Handicap Steeplechase, some of the best hurdlers in training will compete for the Prince Albert Handicap Hurdle.

Many of the entrants in this event have not been seen out this season. Sea Rover has not had a race since he finished second to Gay Light at Liverpool almost a year ago, but he will lack nothing on the score of condition. He was regarded last year as one of our best novice hurdlers. Castlederg won this event last year, but more recently he has had a couple of unsuccessful outings. Tees Head and Manbo met last time out at Newbury, where Manbo finished three lengths ahead of Tees Head. To-day, however, Tees Head will have a pull of 3lb. and should reverse the form. Nightingall has Arctic Star and Jugo entered, and he will run the last named. Jugo rarely gives a bad display, but I am afraid that he has now passed the time when he can be reasonably expected to win races of this type under 11st. 6lb. Wenceslas is well fancied and should gain a place, but acting on Epsom advice I select

SEA ROVER.

That Gregalach is a horse that requires a very light preparation was obvious by the manner in which he beat Go Easy and General Advance at Newbury. He was not then at his best and will be in better condition for the Mole Handicap Steeplechase. General Advance meets him on 19lb. better terms, but I doubt whether he will be good enough to reverse the form. A more hopeful case can be made out for Colliery Band, who runs for W. Payne instead of Royal Scot. Colliery Band was a non-acceptor for the "National" on the grounds, I believe, that his weight was too big. He was set to receive 5lb. from Gregalach in the "National," while in the race under consideration he is in receipt of 3lb. Moreover, it is worth while noting that his best distance is about three miles and he is likely to be in better condition than Gregalach, whose preparation will be timed for the big Liverpool steeplechase. It may be a close thing between him and Gregalach, but in selecting

COLLIERY BAND

I hope to be on the winner.

Last of the Dandies, a runner in the Metropolitan Maiden Hurdle, created a very favourable impression when winning from Mr. Flin at Gatwick. He will be opposed to-day by Eugene, who finished second to Tais-Toi at Kempton Park, but I expect

LAST OF THE DANDIES

to win.

In the Experimental Steeplechase

IRISH TEMPLE

may be good enough to beat Red Abbot, Spot of Bother and Camp Bed, and win.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

GRAKLE'S VICTORY.

ROBIN-A-TIPTOE TURNS THE TABLES ON EVOLUTION.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LEICESTER, Tuesday.

A MIST on the course again spoiled the racing a little here this afternoon, which was another sunny and mild one. Fortunately, it was fairly clear when the race for the Spring Handicap Steeplechase was run.

This produced one of the best finishes to a three-mile steeplechase that has been seen for a very long time. If the judge had declared that it was a dead-heat between three horses it would not have come as a surprise. But he gave it to the Grand National horse, Grakle, who finished two short heads in front of Nincompoop and Donzelon.

This decision failed to please a great many people, who were of the opinion that Grakle did not win, though they were a little indefinite whether it was Nincompoop or Donzelon which had beaten him. This will give some idea of how thrilling the finish was.

Although Donzelon was meeting Grakle on 4lb. better terms for the three parts of a length beating which he received from Coulthwaite's horse when they met at level weights at Derby, it was estimated that Grakle, who was backward when he ran last, would have come on the more, and odds of 5 to 2 were betted on him. They were landed, but it was a desperately close thing.

TAMASHA MAKES THE PACE.

Making the first circuit of the course, Mr Elliott, who had been making the running on Tamasha, steadied his mount, and in doing so he all but drove Grakle into a stationary hurdle which abuts from the hurdle race course on to the steeplechase course, and is marked by a red flag.

The Stewards, by the way, had Mr. Elliott up for this when he was asked to explain his riding, and was warned to be more careful in future. I do not think that the incident in any way affected the chance of Grakle, who was then lying fourth.

Three fences out he had moved up second to Donzelon, and coming to the last he went ahead of Colonel Foljambe's horse, and jumped the last half a length to the good. Then were those who had laid the odds on excellent terms with themselves. They expected to see Grakle draw away and win as a 5 to 2 on chance should; but Grakle did not. Instead of which Donzelon began to gain ground steadily on him.

A hundred yards from home he had drawn level, and fat was poured on the fire when Nincompoop, the unconsidered bottom weight, was taking a hand in the game—and a vigorous one, too—for he was going, if anything, the best of the three.

THREE AT THE POST.

There were thrills then as the three went past the post locked together. My personal impression was that Grakle had not won, but the judge was on a better line to judge, and he gave it to Mr. Taylor's horse.

All the same it was not a convincing performance, and Grakle's prospects in the National are none the rosier for it. As one would expect, he was fitter than he had been at Derby. Indeed, he must be pretty clean inside, for it was a strongly run race throughout, and he did not flinch in the struggle.

Yet it does not show that he is much, if any, better than at Derby, as is shown by the race Donzelon made with him on only a few pounds better terms than when they last met. Then Nincompoop, although he was receiving 35lb., is a very moderate sort of animal.

This performance to-day sends the stock of Grakle a little down in the market. Little fault could be found with his jumping, except that he reached for some of his fences. Judged strictly on to-day's showing, Grakle is not, as Coulthwaite believes, any better than he was last year.

There was a good deal of interest in the rest of the racing. The Foxhunters' Steeplechase brought out a good field of thirteen runners, one of whom, Martin, bolted. It was won last year by Evolution from Robin-a-Tiptoe, and this time it was won by Robin-a-Tiptoe from Evolution by two lengths.

AT A DISADVANTAGE.

The latter, who was ridden by Mr. Eric McKeever, was at a big disadvantage in the weights as compared with twelve months ago, and well though he ran, for he was always in the first three, Robin-a-Tiptoe was too good for him by a couple of lengths.

Gale, who trains Robin-a-Tiptoe at Melton, also had another winner, Buddy, who started at 10 to 1 for the Moderate Handicap Hurdle, in which he made all the running and beat Potocki by half a length.

Few jockeys have been more unlucky than Denis Quirke since he began riding under National Hunt Rules in England, for falls and one thing and another have put him out of action for long periods. One was pleased, therefore, to see him on the back of a winner, Angel Pavement, who in the Belgrave Stayers' Handicap Hurdle beat the favourite Ponorogo by half a length.

Coulthwaite had another winner as well as Grakle, but an easier one. This was Knight Bachelor, in the same colours, who won the selling hurdle by one-and-a-half lengths from Michaelmas Day.

An uninteresting race for the selling steeplechase resulted in an easy win for the favourite, Rock Bottom.

SELECTIONS.

It only needs an easy victory for GREGALACH in the Mole Steeplechase at Sandown to-morrow to send his Grand National stock soaring above that of Grakle. Mrs. Gemmell's horse should give the weight away all round.

The Prince Albert Hurdle Handicap may be won by SEA ROVER, or in his absence by TEES HEAD; and the Metropolitan Hurdle by LAST OF THE DANDIES.

GALTEE MORE.

LEICESTER RESULTS.

1.30—SYSTON SELLING HURDLE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. C. R. Taylor's b. g. KNIGHT BACHELOR, by Bachelor's Double—Clare, a, 11-7 S. Ingham 1
Mr. B. Nichols's MICHAELMAS DAY, a, 11-7 R. Thrale 2
Mrs. W. Whitehead's WORKER, a, 11-7 W. Payne 3

Also ran:—High Brambles (J. Mason), Carnera (Mr. Beechener), Eskdale (J. Mazey), Virgin's Tangle (J. Hamey), Peculium (Mr. W. Smith), Willowsweet (G. Wilson). Off 1.31. (Winner trained by Coulthwaite.)

Betting—9 to 4 on KNIGHT BACHELOR, 9 to 2 agst. Michaelmas Day, 6 to 1 Worker, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 2/6; places, 2/3, 2/6, 2/6.

Won by a length and a half; four lengths. Carnera was fourth and Virgin's Tangle last.

The winner was sold to Colonel Crawford for 155 gns.

2.0—WORKSOP SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. H. Lesters' ch. g. ROCK BOTTOM, by Herodote—Stoneyland, 6, 11-9 ..W. Speck 1
Mrs. E. Gillies's TOGARO 5, 9-9......S. Duffy 2
Mr. H. G. Cowdell's FREE FORESTER, 6, 10-13 Mr. H. Cowdell 3

Also ran:—Socrates (Mr. Cazalet), Sentenced (J. Mason), March Hare (W. Kidney), March Brown (J. H. Brown), Maxtoi (C. Hewitt), Royal Toy (Mr. G. Wint), Water Melon (T. Cullinan). Off 2.0. (Winner trained by J. Scott.)

Betting—6 to 4 agst. ROCK BOTTOM, 7 to 2 March Hare, 4 to 1 Socrates, 10 to 1 each Free Forester, Togaro, and Water Melon; 100 to 6 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/3; places, 3/6, 6/9, 5/6.

Won by three lengths; half a length. Water Melon was fourth and Royal Toy last.

The winner was bought in for 135 gns.

2.30—SPRING HANDICAP 'CHASE of 250 sovs. 3 m. 50 yds.

Mr. C. R. Taylor's b. g. GRAKLE, by Jackdaw—Lady Crank, a, 12-7..........Mr. Fawcus 1
Lord Portman's NINCOMPOOP, a, 10-2 F. Gurney 2
Col. Foljambe's DONZELON, a, 12-3...R. Lyall 3

Also ran—Mardin II. (J. Hamey), Lewendon (W. Parvin), Tamasha (Owner). Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Coulthwaite.)

Betting—5 to 2 on GRAKLE, 4 to 1 agst. Donzelon, 100 to 6 each Mardin II. and Lewendon, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 2/9; places, 3/-, 5/-.

Won by a short head; same. Lewendon was fourth and Tamasha last.

3.0—LEICESTERSHIRE FOXHUNTERS' 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m. 50 yds.

Major N. Furlong's b. g. ROBIN-A-TIPTOE, by Zria—Monica III., a, 11-2...Mr. R. Furlong 1
Mr. W. C. Langley's EVOLUTION, a, 13-0 Mr. McKeever 2
Mr. F. A. Clark's CHADDS FORD, a, 12-2 Mr. R. Hobbs 3

Also ran—Our Empire (Owner), Pass Book II. (Lord Allerton), Garadice (Mr. E. Williams), Merry Craft (Mr. Bissill), Rosolio (Mr. Beechener), Double Ben (Mr. Cazalet), Givendale (Mr. Stephenson), Arc Lamp (Owner), Minstrel Boy (Mr. G. Owen). Off 3.4. (Winner trained by Gale.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. Pass Book II., 3 to 1 ROBIN-A-TIPTOE, 11 to 2 Evolution, 6 to 1 Double Ben, 8 to 1 Chadds Ford, 10 to 1 each Merry Craft and Rosolio, 100 to 8 Arc Lamp, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 5/6; places, 3/-, 4/6, 5/-.

Won by two lengths; one length. Pass Book II. was fourth and Merry Craft last.

Martin was weighed out for by Mr. Nichols, but bolted on the way to the post, and did not come under the starter's orders.

3.30—MODERATE HANDICAP HURDLE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. J. Mackley's ch. g. BUDDY, by Orpheus—Lady of the Loch, 5, 10-0.........J. Hamey 1
Col. T. C. Dunlop's POTOCKI, a, 11-4..J. Mason 2
Mrs. F. H. Bullock's SALEVE, 4, 10-9 Mr. Fawcus 3

Also ran:—Laudamus (W. Speck), Park Rat (Mr. Bissill), Rattlin' the Reefer (Owner). Off 3.33. (Winner trained by Gale.)

Betting—Evens Park Rat, 5 to 2 agst. Saleve, 9 to 2 Laudamus, 8 to 1 Potocki, 10 to 1 BUDDY, 100 to 8 Rattlin 'the Reefer.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 26/9; places, 8/9, 5/-.

Won by half a length; a short head. Park Rat was fourth, and Rattlin' the Reefer last.

4.0—BELGRAVE STAYERS' HANDICAP HURDLE of 100 sovs. 3 m.

Mr. T. F. Hooley's b. g. ANGEL PAVEMENT, by Transcendent—Peony, 5, 10-0...D. Quirke 1
Mrs. A. Smith-Bingham's PONOROGO, a, 12-3 W. Speck 2
Mr. B. Warner's YOUNG MIDDLETON, a, 11-1 G. Pellerin 3

Also ran:—Somnus (T. Isaac), Cinnamon Diamond (Owner), Swan Upping (F. Gurney), Han Kan (J. Richardson), Auditor (A. Smyth), Contraband (J. Millar), Caplerig (J. Mason), Grey Knight (D. Morgan), Wisdom Gift (R. Lyall), Annie Yutoi (C. Harrison), Gay Dog II. (S. Ingham). Off 4.1. (Winner trained by Cockton.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. Ponorogo, 4 to 1 Young Middleton, 7 to 1 each Annie Yutoi and Somnus, 8 to 1 ANGEL PAVEMENT, 10 to 1 Swan Upping, 100 to 6 any other.

Tote (2/- stake)—Win, 21/3; places, 4/6, 3/3, 3/3.

Won by half a length; three lengths. Caplerig was fourth, and Wisdom Gift last.

TOTALISATOR DAILY DOUBLES (5/- stake)—

Knight Bachelor and Grakle—Dividend, 9/-; pool, £139 10/-; 259 winning tickets. Grakle and Buddy—Dividend, £9 1/-; pool, £121 5/-; 2 winning tickets.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

Closing of Punchestown Races.

Entries close to-day with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin, for ten races at Punchestown meeting on April 19th and 20th.

Jockey's Fatal Accident.

The death has occurred at Ayr County Hospital of Richard Townsend, jockey to J. McGuigan, the well-known Ayr trainer. His death, which was quite unexpected, occurred following what was considered a minor accident while schooling horses at Ayr racecourse last Friday. Townsend had a fall, but did not complain of injury, and actually rode in a subsequent exercise gallop over hurdles. He became ill, and was removed to hospital, where, on being X-rayed, a small fracture of the base of the skull was detected.

Jockey Bruises Muscles.

Gerald Wilson bruised the muscles of his back when his mount, Willowsweet, fell in the Syston Selling Hurdle at Leicester yesterday. Acting under doctor's orders, he finished riding for the day. This was his fourth fall of the meeting, for at Leicester on Monday his mounts came down in the first three races respectively.

"Second Favourite" Bets.

The Committee of Tattersall's have decided that, in the absence of a mutual agreement to the contrary, a backer who backs the second favourite in a race where more than one horse is quoted at the shortest rate of odds in the starting price returns, shall be on the horse or horses quoted at the second shortest rate of odds. In all cases where a contrary mutual agreement exists between backer and layer, the Committee of Tattersall's will uphold the conditions of such agreement, provided always that nothing in the agreement contravenes any rule or custom of betting as recognised by that Committee, and that such agreement is practicable.

Rumours About Derby Candidate.

The presence of two veterinary surgeons on the heath at Newmarket yesterday caused many people to believe that they were there for the special purpose of examining Clustine, the Derby candidate, owned by Mr. A. K. Macomber, and trained by Sam Darling. This was not the case, although they did take the opportunity of listening to the horse to detect, if possible, any signs of wind infirmity. Clustine made a little noise last year, but he is no worse now than then.

SANDOWN PROGRAMME

1.30—WOKING SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
MICHAELMAS DAY (Mr. B. Nichol)	Thrale	a	12	7
NOSIAMAS (Mr. V. Emanuel)	Duller	a	12	7
MOONSTRUCK (Mrs. V. Emanuel)	Duller	a	12	4
FESTUM (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. Goodall)	Killalee	a	12	0
MONTPELIER (Mr. G. Bates)	Thrale	a	11	13
PASSADO (Mr. Hunter Simmonds)	Dick	4	11	13
NUXFORD (Mr. A. E. Berry (7lb. ex.)	F. Morgan	6	11	11
CLOTH OF GOLD (Mr. J. Baylis)	Hackett	a	11	10
LOUNGE LIZARD (Mr. G. S. Langlands)	G. Langlands	6	11	8
DUTCH GOLD (Mr. T. Richards)	W. Nightingall	6	11	8
BAWBEE (Mr. H. J. Read)	Todd	4	11	7
SWASHBUCKLER (Mr. K. Goode)	Goode	a	11	6
MARLBOROUGH (Mr. H. Collins)	Winter	5	11	6
STOLEN FLAME (Mr. C. A. Lendy)	J. Wood	a	11	5
PRINCE GROSVENOR (Mrs. C. Jones)	J. Scott	5	11	5
SILVORO (Sir Darcy Lindsay)	Edwards	6	11	5
WELL HIT (Major C. H. Stevens)	Stevens	6	11	4
RACKSTRAW (Mrs. C. Evans)	Tabor	5	11	3
FAITHFUL GARRY (Mr. H. Lester)	J. Scott	a	11	2
ROSSIGNOL (Mr. W. Hutchinson)	Hedges	a	11	2
SAINT BASILE (Mr. A. Boutall)	G. E. Todd	5	11	0
WHITE WINTER (Mr. G. B. Bates)	E. Harper	5	11	0
WOLFE TONE (Mr. G. C. Poole)	Poole	6	10	13
MONARCHY (Mr. F. W. Wilmot)	Private	a	10	13
ETHELWULF (Mr. J. E. Anderton)	W. Nightingall	a	10	11
ANCHOR WATCH (Mrs. Nellie Roberts)	Roberts	5	10	11
NURSEMAID (Mr. G. S. Langlands)	G. Langlands	a	10	7
MARTIAN (Mr. H. A. Brown)	H. Brown	a	10	7
COLLODIAN (Mr. A. Savile)	Hedges	5	10	2

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast
004	NOSIAMAS	Speck	8/1
100	MONTPELIER	Thrale	7/1
001	NUXFORD	T. Morgan	5/1
340	CLOTH OF GOLD	Pellerin	10/1
000	MARLBOROUGH	Isaac	10/1
003	STOLEN FLAME	D. Butchers	6/1
001	WELL HIT	Davey	7/2
200	SILVORO	F. Gurney	100/8
312	RACKSTRAW	Ermer	3/1
000	FAITHFUL GARRY	Stott	7/1
003	ROSSIGNOL	Hollick	5/1
020	WOLFE TONE	Colin Richards	100/8
020	MONARCHY	L. Adams	10/1
002	ETHELWULF	T. Carey	9/2
000	NURSEMAID	Mr. Langlands	10/1
000	MARTIAN	P. Kelly	10/1
300	COLLODIAN	A. Birch	100/8

2.0—STANLEY CUP (Amateur Riders) HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs 3 m. and about 125 yds

		Age	st.	lb.
CASTLETOWN (Sir P. Grant Lawson)	Gosden	a	12	7
HOLMES (Mr. E. Tyrwhitt)	Beechener	a	12	2
SLATER (Mr. J. Whitney)	J. Anthony	a	12	1
REDAN (Sir G. Abercromby)	E. Piggott	a	11	10
SOUND BOX (Mr. Beaufoy)	A. Law	a	11	10
BLUE PETER III. (Mr. R. H. Courage)	Courage	a	11	10
OTHER WAVE (Mr. H. Deterding)	R. Payne	6	11	8
SILVER GRAIL (Mr. Llewellyn)	Lindsay	6	11	7
VICTORIN (Capt. A. Jameson)	Law	6	11	6
RELATION (Mrs. R. D. Cohen)	Powell	a	11	5
RATHVALE (Mr. R. Daubeny)	Private	a	11	2
LAMINARIA (Mr. F. Schlesinger)	Thrale	6	10	11
SARATOGA (Mr. F. Thackray)	Thackray	a	10	9
DESTINY BAY (Mr. H. Lloyd Thomas)	Private	a	10	5
DOSS (Capt. Miles Graham)	Private	a	10	5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
020	CASTLETOWN	Sir P. Lawson	8/1
130	HOLMES	Mr. Beechener	7/1
022	SLATER	Mr. Dutton	3/1
202	BLUE PETER III	Mr. Courage	9/2
000	OTHER WAVE	Mr. Deterding	100/7
140	SILVER GRAIL	Capt. Vivian	10/1
230	VICTORIN	Capt. Weber	7/2
040	RELATION	Mr. Mount	8/1
004	RATHVALE	Mr. B. Wood	10/1
240	LAMINARIA	Capt. Brownhill	5/1
040	SARATOGA	Mr. Thackray	100/7
1	DESTINY BAY	Mr. R. Hobbs	10/1
1	DOSS	Major Miss	5/1

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Woking Selling Hurdle—**Rackstraw.**
Stanley Cup—**Blue Peter III.**
Prince Albert Hurdle—**Sea Rover** (nap).
Mole Handicap Steeplechase—**Colliery Band**
Metropolitan Hurdle—**Last of the Dandies.**
Experimental Handicap Steeplechase—**Irish Temple.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
Sea Rover and **Rackstraw.**

2.35—PRINCE ALBERT HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 300 sovs. 2 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
ARCTIC STAR (Mr. A. L. Duggan)	W. Nightingall	a	12	4
CASTLEDERG (Mrs. Whitelaw)	Whitelaw	a	11	9
JUGO (Mr. T. Richards)	W. Nightingall	a	11	0
SEA ROVER (Sir Malcolm McAlpine)	J. M. Bell	5	11	4
BRIGHTER BIRD (Mr. G. P. Shakerley)	F. A. Brown	a	10	11
FORAGE CAP (Mr. J. E. Jones)	Scott	6	10	9
MANBO (Mr. A. E. Berry)	F. Morgan	4	10	7
WENCESLAS (Mr. H. Lester)	G. Todd	4	10	5
TEES HEAD (Mr. M. Stephens)	Blair	5	10	6

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
100	CASTLEDERG	Mr. Thackray	7/2
020	JUGO	Speck	7/1
12	SEA ROVER	Hardy	6/4
332	BRIGHTER BIRD	G. Goswell	10/1
232	MANBO	T. Morgan	6/1
025	TEES HEAD	Stott	4/1
12	WENCESLAS	Graves	5/1

3.5—MOLE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2½ m. 75 yds.

		Age	st.	lb.
GREGALACH (Mrs. M. A. Gemmell)	Woodland	a	12	5
ROYAL SCOT (Mrs. H. M. Hollins)	W. Payne	a	12	2
COLLIERY BAND (Mrs. Hollins)	W. Payne	a	11	12
GENERAL ADVANCE (Major A. W. Huntington)	L. Anthony	a	10	8
SANPERE (Mr. G. P. Shakerley)	F. A. Brown	a	10	7
CATHALAN (Mr. W. Edwards)	Thrale	a	10	6
ANNANDALE (Lord Glenapp)	Barrett	a	10	6
STEP FORWARD (Mr. E. Robson)	W. Nightingall	5	10	4
MAGIC MOON (Lord Glenapp)	Barrett	a	10	3
EAGLE'S TAIL (Col. J. A. Farhurst)	I. Anthony	a	10	2
MIRABOT (Mr. R. A. L. Cohen)	Powell	6	10	1
VILLAGE BOY (Mr. R. Mealing)	Newey	a	10	0
MOUNTAIN SLIP (Mr. F. C. Parker)	Kelly	a	10	0
SHOREMAN (Mr. F. R. Thackray)	Thackray	a	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
221	GREGALACH	Mr. Thackray	6/4
133	COLLIERY BAND	Hardy	5/1
322	GENERAL ADVANCE	D. Williams	6/1
002	SANPERE	G. Goswell	10/1
211	CATHALAN	Stott	7/1
002	MAGIC MOON	T. Morgan	8/1
310	EAGLE'S TAIL	D. Morgan	10/1
011	MIRABOT	E. Brown	10/1
121	VILLAGE BOY	Speck	9/2
003	MOUNTAIN SLIP	Hamey	8/1
330	SHOREMAN	Foster	100/6

3.35—METROPOLITAN MAIDEN HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

		Age	st.	lb.
LAST OF THE DANDIES (Mr. J. Westgate)	W. Payne	5	11	11
STALACTITE (Mr. C. R. Anson)	T. R. Leader	6	11	1
MAUGRE (Mr. J. Beary)	Beary	5	11	1
LIGHTS O' LONDON (Mr. J. Beary)	Beary	a	11	1
EUGENE (Mr. M. D. Blair)	Blair	5	11	1
TOUAREG (Mr. J. D. Pender)	Gubbins	5	11	1
LALU (Maj. E. C. Doyle)	Private	6	11	1
QUARTER SESSIONS (Mrs. M. Field)	H. A. Brown	6	11	1
AUCTION POOL (Mrs. Garvie)	Holland	a	11	1
THE CHEERFUL ABBOT (Mr. W. Greene)	M. Hartigan	a	11	1
GOLDEN BEE (Mr. E. G. Hayes)	Private	a	11	1
TIMBER (Mr. M. Kayton)	Todd	5	11	1
VARSHASDAROVIA (Maj. Lyons)	Sneyd	6	11	1
DODABETTA (Mrs. E. J. Marshall)	Duller	5	11	1
OLD ORKNEY (Mr. J. J. Murphy)	Sneyd	a	11	1
ACCRA (Mr. A. J. Redman)	W. Smyth	5	11	1
SILVER MOUNT (Mrs. Rich)	W. Nightingall	5	11	1
SAUCY LADY (Ld. Stalbridge)	Owner	6	11	1
MR. FLIM (Maj. C. H. Stevens)	Stevens	a	11	1
TAIS TOI (Baron F. de Tuyll)	F. Hartigan	6	11	1
SKIFF (Mr. C. Wadia)	Hackett	5	11	1
BENNACHIE (Sir Ian Walker)	Willett	5	11	1
CHOUCAS (Sir H. Wernher)	I. Anthony	4	11	1
SWANS' NEST (Mr. G. Whitelaw)	Owner	5	11	1
ADVANCER (Mr. F. Wilmot)	W. Nightingall	5	11	1
LARKING (Mr. F. H. Wynter)	Snow	5	11	1
BALLYHALBERT (Mr. T. H. Lloyd)	Thrale	4	10	12
BILL FALLOCH (Mr Berry)	F. Morgan	4	10	5
DAY BOY (Mr. J. R. Canty)	Private	4	10	5
SCOTCH MIST (Capt. A. Jameson)	Law	4	10	5
SALT OF THE EARTH (Mr. J. E. Jones)	Gilbert	4	10	5
SOLIPED (Mrs. C. L. Mackean)	Poole	4	10	5
SPEARWOOD (Mr. de Mestre)	F. Wootton	4	10	5
KING OSCAR (Miss D. Paget)	Briscoe	4	10	5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
211	LAST OF THE DANDIES	W. Payne	9/4
431	TAIS TOI	D. Morgan	8/1
	MAUGRE	Doherty	100/6
002	EUGENE	McCann	5/1
	LALU	Thrale	100/6
00	QUARTER SESSIONS	J. H. Brown	100/8
00	AUCTION POOL	Winder	100/8
	THE CHEERFUL ABBOT	McCormack	100/6
	TIMBER	Graves	100/6
	DODABETTA	Speck	7/1
00	OLD ORKNEY	Ingham	8/1
000	ACCRA	S. Smyth	100/8
022	MR. FLIM	Davey	10/1
002	SILVER MOUNT	T. Carey	8/1
400	SKIFF	Pellerin	10/1
000	BENNACHIE	A. Goswell	100/6
402	SWAN'S NEST	Mr. Thackray	10/1
	ADVANCER	Stott	4/1
0	LARKING	Maxwell	100/6
312	BALLYHALBERT	Feakes	6/1
3	BILL FALLOCK	T. Morgan	10/1
00	SPEARWOOD	Crump	8/1

4.5—EXPERIMENTAL HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. 2 m. 25 yds.

		Age	st.	lb.
ROYAL SCOT (Mrs. H. M. Hollins)	W. Payne	a	12	13
RED ABBOT (Mrs. E. Coote)	Law	a	11	10
LEWENDON (Mr. R. G. MacMillan)	Nugent	a	11	8
MASTER ORANGE (Mr. G. C. Poole)	Poole	a	11	7
SANPERE (Mr G. P. Shakerley)	F. A. Brown	a	11	4
LONG WASTE (Marquis de San Miguel)	Barrett	5	11	2
SPOT OF BOTHER (Mr. R. Smith)	Harvey	a	10	13
EASY VIRTUE (Mr. W. P. Tyser)	H. Brown	a	10	9
PISHOGUE (Baron F. de Tuyll)	F. Hartigan	a	10	7
MOUNT OLIVER (Mr. F. Walwyn)	Rayson	5	10	2
COPPERNOB (Major H. Gadd)	Willett	5	10	2
CAMP BED (Mrs. Peirse-Duncombe)	Powell	a	10	2
IRISH TEMPLE (Mr. H. G. Blagrave)	Blagrave	a	10	0
TELL'S RIDGE (Mr. H. A. Brown)	H. A. Brown	5	10	0
FREE FORESTER (Mr. H. G. Cowdell)	R. Payne	6	10	0
GALINGALE (Col. J. A. Fairhurst)	I. Anthony	a	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
111	ROYAL SCOT	Isaac	7/4
210	RED ABBOT	K. Rumble	4/1
403	SPOT OF BOTHER	Mr. Stephenson	10/1
130	PISHOGUE	McNally	5/1
342	CAMP BED	D. Holland	3/1
032	IRISH TEMPLE	Furnace	9/2
000	GALMAGALE	R. Clarke	6/1
000	MOUNT OLIVER	Mr. Walwyn	10/1

FORM HORSES.

1.30—Ethelwulf.
2. 0—Slater (nap).
2.35—Castlederg.
3. 5—Gregalach.
3.35—Last of the Dandies.
4. 5—Camp Bed.

Eclipse.

HORSES IN TRAINING.

MR. H. USSHER'S STABLE.

TWO "NATIONAL" CANDIDATES AT BRACKENSTOWN.

BY OUR CURRAGH CORRESPONDENT.

RECENTLY I had the pleasure of spending a couple of hours in looking over Mr. Harry Ussher's stables at Brackenstown, Swords, County Dublin. The estate extends over two hundred acres of the finest land, and there are the best of gallops. I have not seen a better schooling ground than that laid out in the vicinity of Collinstown aerodrome, and here it is that the Grand National candidates, Heartbreak Hill and Cold Punch, are being got ready for their important engagement. Heartbreak Hill is looking well, and, with ordinary luck, she must have a very considerable chance in the forthcoming Grand National. She won the Grand Sefton in very easy fashion, and that is a big point in her favour. Cold Punch, too, has got round the Aintree course, and he is, indeed, one of the safest of jumpers.

Last year Mr. Ussher had forty-three winners, that is including Heartbreak Hill's Sefton, and it is quite likely—judging from the highly promising string he has at present under his care—that he will do even better this year.

Gallant Prince, A.P., Sir Jonah, Our Bird, and Knight's Battle, of the older horses, are worth following, while Knockmark, Ole Man River, The Tavern Knight, and Wandering Wing are all doing well. Hollywood Star, the full sister to the Irish Derby winner, Rock Star, has improved greatly since last year, when she was a big, overgrown filly.

THE TWO-YEAR-OLDS.

Border Ballad is a full sister to Border Warrant, who was recently sold for a big sum to go to California, and half-sister to Soliped and Red Glow. This very promising filly was purchased from Mr. Mackean by Captain G. A. Boyd-Rochfort. The half-brother to Rock Star, Tor and Hollywood Star, is a big colt and shows much promise. He takes greatly after his sire, Tolgus, in appearance.

Another good-looking Tolgus youngster is the gelding out of Ka-Lu-A. He is a sharp, racing-like sort, and should be early. Mrs. B. M. Webster has a nice-looking filly by Arch Gift—Countess Galahad, and Mr. R. J. Duggan's Grania colt is one of the first crop of Prester John's stock. Prester John was a half-brother to Racedale, and his two-year-olds are generally considered to be very good. Grania was bred by Mr. Ernest Bellamy. A good-looking bay gelding is that from African Sunshine, who is a full sister to the Irish Derby winner, Kopi, and was a good race mare herself.

The filly by Stratford—Moylena is a sharp sort, and the Achtoi colt from Credible is a fine upstanding fellow. The bay filly by Tolgus—Short Line is a half-sister to Tag End, Brighter Night and Black Admiral. Tag End, it may be remembered, was sold by Mr. Ussher to Mr. J. B. Joel for £3,000, and he proved a good bargain, inasmuch as he won two Portland Plates, and was, in his day, the finest sprinter in England. The horses in training at Brackenstown are:—

A.P., br. g., 7 yrs., by Meleager—Alexa.
Cold Punch, gr. g., 9 yrs., by Aquafortis—Ayesha.
Gemini, br. g., 4 yrs., by Duke of Brandon—Roisin Dhu.
Gallant Prince, ch. h., 5 yrs., by Prince Galahad—Canvey.
Ho Fang, b. g., 6 yrs., by Marten—Mona Liza.
Hollywood Star, b. f., 4 yrs., by Sherwood Starr—Rockmills.
Heartbreak Hill, b. m., 7 yrs., by Don Juan—Little Sweetheart.
Knight's Battle, br. g., 6 yrs., by Battle Axe—Queen Alice.
Knockmark, ch. g., 8 yrs., by Marcus—Cruikereen.
Ole Man River, b. h., 5 yrs., by Ponteland—Sweet Waters.
Our Bird, br. h., 6 yrs., by Jackdaw—Eileen Alanna.
Sir Jonah, ch. g., 4 yrs., by Knight of the Garter—Blue Fish.

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Swift Agnes, b. m., 7 yrs., by Frontino—Agnes W.
Tail End, br. c., 4 yrs., by Tagrag—Short Line.
The Tavern Knight, br. g., 5 yrs., by Jackdaw—Archimunn.
Wandering Wing, b. c., 4 yrs., by Defiance—Coo Coo.
Bay gelding, 5 yrs., by Old Rowley—Clara Desmond.

THREE-YEAR-OLDS.

Bishopland, b. c., by Tolgus—Tippytoes.
Cold Bird, b. g., by Jackdaw—Statue.
Dope King, b. g., by Pharos—Reine de Niege.
Heritor, b. c., by Milesius or Roi Herode—Belle Edgar.
Lady Togo, b. f., by Tolgus—Short Line.
Last Tag, gr. g., by Tagrag—Cloran.
Midnight Blue, b. f., by Tolgus—Gold Brick.
Red Rag, gr. g., by Tagrag—Live Line.
Royal Hero, b. g., by Roi Hero—Patria.
Togoland, b. f., by Tolgus—African Sunshine.
Torosa, b. f., by Tolgus—Rosa.
Vulnerable, gr. f., by Milesius—Mind Points.

TWO-YEAR-OLDS.

B. c. by Tolgus—Rockmills.
B. c. by Prester John—Grania.
B. f. by Diligence—Miss Orby.
B. f. by Stratford—Moylena.
B. f. by Tolgus—Short Line.
B. f. by Arch Gift—Countess Galahad.
B. f. by Irish Battle.
B. f. by Grey Admiral—Demi Monde.
B. g. by Tolgus—African Sunshine.
Border Ballad, ch. f., by Warden of the Marches—Roxana.
Br. c. by Achtoi—Credible.
Ch. g. by Stratford—Pine Creek.
Ch. f. by Roidore—Lislea.
Galli Galli, b. g., by Tolgus—Ka-Lu-A.
Pretty Hiker, ch. f., by Clarion, dam by Prince Galahad—Huna.

Owners for whom training:—Sir John Grey, Bart.; Mr. R. J. Duggan, Mrs. Croft, Lieut.-Colonel R. Fenwick-Palmer, Mrs. C. S. Bird, junior; Mr. R. Cargill, Capt. G. A. Boyd-Rochfort, Mrs. M. E. Whitney, Mr. F. Burke, Major H. C. Crozier, Mrs. B. M. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fitzgerald, Messrs. A. D. Comyn, B. L. Coleman, W. D. Ryan, T. G. Fletcher, J. G. Magennis, and self.

Jockey—J. Moylan (8st. 3lb.). Apprentice—W. Halford (7st. 9lb.).

LAWN TENNIS.

THE DAVIS CUP DRAW.

IRELAND AT HOME FOR FIRST MATCH.

PARIS, Tuesday.

THE draw for the Davis Cup was made here this afternoon. Great Britain and Ireland drew byes in the first round, and in the second round England will meet Rumania. Ireland's opponents at that stage are not yet known, but the visitors will be the winners of the Hungary v. Finland tie. Neither of these countries has met Ireland before in the competition.

Great Britain's meeting with Rumania is expected to be only the first step in a triumphant progress to the challenge round, which will be played in Paris in July against France, holders since 1927. France's four great players—Jean Borotra, Henri Cochet, Jacques Brugnon and Pierre Boussus, were all present this afternoon when the draw took place in the Salon des Ambassadeurs. The draw is as follows:—

EUROPEAN ZONE—First Round.

Byes—Great Britain, Rumania, Poland Holland, Ireland.

Hungary v. Finland.
Germany v. India.
Austria v. Czecho-Slovakia.
Monaco v. Norway.
Belgium v. Switzerland.
Italy v. Egypt.

Byes — Spain, Denmark, Yugo-Slavia, Japan, Greece.

Second Round.

Great Britain v. Rumania.
Poland v. Holland.
Ireland v. Hungary or Finland.
Germany or India v. Austria or Czecho-Slovakia.
Monaco or Norway v. Belgium or Switzerland.
Italy or Egypt v. Spain.
Denmark v. Yugo-Slavia.
Japan v. Greece.

NORTH AMERICAN ZONE.

First Round—United States v. Canada. Mexico, Australia and Cuba byes.

Second Round—United States or Canada v. Mexico; Australia v. Cuba.

SOUTH AMERICAN ZONE.

First Round—Brazil v. Chile; Paraguay a bye.

Second Round—Brazil or Chile v. Paraguay.

WORK AT THE CURRAGH.

The morning was fine and mild, and a fair amount of work was done.

BEHAN'S May Turn, Luck Gift and Knight of the Mist traversed a mile and a quarter at a steady rate. Call Him, Rathlin Isle and Sea Mark cantered six furlongs at a similar pace. Schweppes and the two-year-olds covered four furlongs briskly.

BRABAZON'S Cory and the two-year-olds cantered four furlongs.

DAWSON'S Arab Man, Aughrim Boy, Orbell and Sherdoon travelled a mile and a half at a nice pace. Defiant, Hold On, Rosemary's Pet, Shady Lane, Tony Boy and others of the Rathbride Manor team cantered.

DOYLE'S Pretty Land and Ripple On went a mile and a half steadily; Affection, Shy Lad, Royal Kirk and others were usefully employed over five furlongs.

FETHERSTONHAUGH'S Athlin, Carcross, Copper Court, Bill and Prince Pat were usefully employed. L'Enfant Terrible and the two-year-olds cantered.

HARTIGAN'S Kilcash Hill and Como went a good mile and a half. Lady Frivol covered the same distance steadily. Rabbi, Gold Cygnet, Dusky Chief and the rest of the Ruanbeg team were given useful bouts of healthy exercise.

GILPIN'S Iridos, Gormanlough, Jackaleen Clicked and others were usefully employed.

PARKINSON'S Sack and Kyleclare galloped two miles. Sabre, Rockford, Film Fan and Gaelic Prince had jumping practice.

ROGERS'S Cap-a-Pie II. and Nice Token were schooled over fences. Heraclida traversed a mile and a quarter in company with Cauldron Snout Accelerate, Lotus Leaves, Hill Song, Clicquot, Hidden Gem, Flying Shelter and others were usefully employed over five furlongs.

SLOCOCK'S Ethel's Treasure and Lista were schooled over fences. Captured Late, Easter Star and Happy Memories covered a mile and a half. Lass of Rheims, La Sorciere, Jack O'Glen, Steeplejack, Artful Twinkle, and the rest of the Curragh View team were usefully employed over five furlongs.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS.

Daily Sketch:—Double—Castlederg and Nursemaid.

SELECTIONS FOR SANDOWN PARK MEETING TO-DAY

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.35 RACE.	3.5 RACE.	3.35 RACE.	4.5 RACE.
Irish Times	Rackstraw.	Blue Peter III.	Sea Rover.*	Colliery Band.	Last of the Dandies.	Irish Temple.
Galtee More	—	—	Sea Rover; if ab., Tees Head.	Gregalach.	Last of the Dandies.	—
S. Life & Sportsman	Ethelwulf; Rossignol, place.	Slater.	Sea Rover.	Gregalach.	Old Orkney; Eugene, place.	Red Abbot.*
Man on the Spot	Rackstraw.	Blue Peter III.	Sea Rover.	Gregalach.	Last of the Dandies.	Irish Temple.*
Daily Sketch	Nursemaid.	Castletown.	Castlederg.*	Step Forward.	Last of the Dandies.	Camp Bed.
Star	Rackstraw; Montpelier, place.	Victorin; Blue Peter III., place.	Tees Head; Sea Rover, place.	Gregalach; Cathalan, place.	Last of the Dandies.*	Master Orange; Irish Temple, place.
Evening News	Rackstraw.	Slater.	Sea Rover.*	Gregalach.	Last of the Dandies.	Easy Virtue.
Evening Standard	Duller's selection.		Sea Rover; if ab., Tees Head.	Gregalach.	Last of the Dandies.	
The Times			Sea Rover.	Gregalach.	Last of the Dandies.	Royal Scot.

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RUGBY FOOTBALL.

A GOOD PACK OF FORWARDS.

HIGH SCHOOL'S STRONG DEFENCE.

O'CONNELL SCHOOLS 11 HIGH SCHOOL ... 0

Although O'Connell Schools beat High School by a goal and 2 tries (11 points) to nil in the first round of the Junior Schools' Cup at Donnybrook yesterday, they did not show much advance on last year's play; for once more all the danger came from the forwards, and the backs, with plenty of chances, showed no ability to get tries. All three scores came from forward rushes, but on the other hand they were much the superior side, and kept High School on the defensive from start to finish. The latter tackled and went down before forward rushes with great pluck, but their backs never got moving.

Mullen was a sound full-back for the winners, and kicked very well. The halves seldom gave their three-quarters a chance, and none of them could either pass or take a pass. The forwards were excellent in the loose. O'Brien, Butler, and Donnelly being the best. For High School Alexander, McNeill and Boyle defended splendidly, and McCabe, Young and Glover worked hard in a beaten pack.

O'Brien and Butler scored from forward rushes in the first half, Lyons converting one, but they were held out until the last minute, when Stanley got over from a fine rush. Teams:—

O'Connells—J. Mullen; T. McCallion, A. P. Maguire, S. B. McKeefry, E. W. Brady; P. J. Lyons, G. Smith; B. O'Brien, P. L. Butler, T. Donnelly, T. S. Mullin, J. C. Stanley, L. S. Kaye, J. L. Smith, A. D. McDonald.

High School—A. Alexander; M. Rooney, E. Ewen, D. McNeill, R. McKed; D. Boyle, H. Keegan; R. Mason, W. S. Moore, W. E. Moore, I. McCabe, R. Young, R. Glover, W. Houston, W. Morrow.

BLACKROCK BACKS SHINE.

BLACKROCK COLL. 40 WESLEY COLL....... 0

Blackrock College played good football to beat Wesley College by 5 goals and 5 tries (40 points) to nil in the second Junior Schools' Cup match at Donnybrook yesterday. They have unusual strength on the wings for a junior schools' team, and Feeney, on the left, showed his heels to a weak defence time after time. He was the outstanding three-quarter, but Collins, on the other wing, is also fast and strong. Ferris was a brilliant little scrum-half, who frequently broke away on his own, and scored a great try in the first half. The forwards were good in the loose, but their heeling was poor.

Wesley were a smaller side, and, apart from one or two good backs, were a weak side. De Courcy was a useful out-half, and Citron, without any support, made some fine runs in the centre, but the others were weak in defence. The forwards stuck to a heavier pack well, the best of them being Polden and Pierce.

Blackrock scored 28 points in the first half, Feeney scoring three tries, Collins two and Ferris one; Madden kicked three goals and Ferris two. In the second half Feeney (two), Ferris and Kelly scored unconverted tries. Teams:—

Blackrock College—S. Conway; M. Collins, J. Kelly, G. O'Brien, G. Feeney; P. Geraghty, J. Ferris; C. Doolin, M. Mahon, B. Lyons, A. Carroll, J. Quigley, W. Merrigan, D. Kelleher, P. Corbett.

Wesley College—A. Carry; B. Elliman, B. Citron, R. O'Neill, I. Levitt; D. O'Neill (scrum), C. de Courcy; C. Polden, P. Pierce, F. Rogers, T. Donnelly, L. Jacobson, S. Baigel, A. Harbinson, H. Shaw.

COLLEGE OF SURGEONS' CUP FINAL.

REDS .... 9 GREENS.............. 6

The inter-challenge cup competition for the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland trophy was brought to a conclusion at the College ground, Terenure, yesterday, and resulted in a win for H team (Red) over A team (Green) by two penalty goals and a try to two tries.

The contest was initiated last year, when the cup was won by the side captained by Mr. J. F. Cotter. This season eight teams, selected from students and licentiates, picked by the committee—Messrs. Alfred Millar (Registrar), T. K. Digby (Assistant Registrar), H. F. Moffatt (Honorary Secretary, R.F.C.) and H. Laing (Assistant Honorary Secretary, R.F.C.)—took part in the competition.

After two rounds Reds reached the final with 56 points for and 12 against, and Greens with 33 points for and 9 against. Both sides were well matched, and a strenuous, but mainly forward, struggle ensued. Halfway in the opening period Reds pressed, and Armstrong landed a penalty goal. Ten minutes later Chambers got over far out for them for an unconverted try. Just before the interval D. J. Riordan scored an unconverted try for Greens. Greens had all the better of the play for most of the second half, and Horan scored a try, to put the sides level. Armstrong, with another penalty, gave Reds the lead, but Greens pressed strongly. They threw away scores by holding on, and in the last minute Hill was only inches wide from a free to them.

For the winners Pearce, Joyce, Chambers and Armstrong (backs), and J. J. Riordan, Kyle and Gibson (forwards) were best; as were Smyth, Horan, Hill and D. J. Riordan (backs), and Barr, Gallagher and O'Dwyer (forwards) for Greens. The cup, medals and a replica of the trophy for the captain were presented to J. H. Armstrong by Mrs. Stoney, wife of Mr. R. A. Stoney, President of the College and the Rugby Club. Owing to building operations College of Surgeons Club is moving to a new ground at Clonskeagh next season.

Teams:—

Reds—G. P. Pearce; A. M. Kinsella, W. R. D. Joyce, J. F. Fortune, J. H. Armstrong (capt.); T. Chambers, D. Fitzgerald; J. S. Gibson, L. Ziotover, P. J. McNamara, W. Kyle, K. G. Reynolds, J. J. O'Riordan, A. Adams, W. H. Dorman.

Greens—G. V. Smyth; E. Horan, D. J. Riordan, T. J. McMahon, C. K. Byrnes; D. M. Rubenstein, J. P. Hill (capt.); J. S. Barr, H. Coleman, P. O'D. Gallagher, J. M. Hickey, M. J. Lynch, J. C. McFeely, W. O'Dwyer, B. Rosefield.

Referee—Mr. R. A. C. Barrett.

THE VISIT OF BARTS.

M. CROWE TO PLAY FOR "NATIONAL."

St. Bartholomew's Hospital, one of the strongest club teams in England, pay a visit to Dublin to-day to meet University College. With a view to facilitating the Irish Selectors, M. Crowe will be included in the University College three-quarter line, as partner to L. B. McMahon. The opportunity will thus be afforded of seeing if either or both of these players can stand the strain of a match, and the problem of filling the vacant position on the Irish team may be solved. The teams will be as follows:—

University College—M. Saurin; T. Kiely, L. B. McMahon, M. Crowe, T. Gleeson; P. Roche (capt.), A. P. Barry; B. Macauley, B. Glynn, T. Guilian, B. Neary, M. Gleeson, P. Purcell, J. O'Donovan, G. Hayes.

St. Bartholomew's Hospital—(1) C. W. John; (5) J. D. Powell, (4) L. M. Curtiss, (3) A. H. Price, (2) J. G. Youngman; (6) J. R. Kingdom, (7) J. T. C. Taylor; (11) E. M. Darmady, (13) K. J. Harvey, (14) D. W. Moynagh, (12) J. M. Jackson, (10) R. Mundy, (15) G. D. S. Briggs, (8) W. M. Capper (capt.), (9) B. S. Lewis.

CLONMEL'S GOOD FORM.

CLONMEL .... 14 WATERPARK 5

Waterpark, Waterford, travelled to Clonmel to meet the local team with whom they had played a drawn game at the previous engagement. Clonmel had a strong fifteen, and won by a goal, a penalty goal and two tries to a goal. The Free State flag was flown on the field of play.

Though pretty well held, Clonmel proved the stronger workers, and in the first half scored two hard-won tries, one from a scrum on the line and another by Doyle. Neither was converted.

In the second half Pender scored a nice try for Waterpark, which was converted.

Clonmel commanded the game territorially, and Calhan got over, Kearney converting. The latter also kicked a penalty goal.

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BOXING.

STRONG WELSH SIDE FOR DUBLIN.

HEAVY TASK FOR IRISH CHAMPIONS.

The Welsh team to meet Ireland at the Mansion House, Dublin, on Friday, February 12th, has been chosen as follows:—

Fly-weight—B. Ahearne (Cardiff).
Bantam—G. Reynolds (Cardiff).
Feather—L. Howard (Cardiff).
Light—A. Love (Cardiff)
Welter—T. Edmunds (Caerau).
Middle—A. Donovan (Newport).
Light-Heavy—F. Fowler (Cardiff).

Love is the British Empire champion; Howard, Edmunds and Donovan, Welsh champions; Fowler, ex-champion of the Brigade of Guards, and Ahearne is ex-British schoolboy champion, so that it will be seen that the team is a strong one. Wales, unbeaten in international competition this season, has beaten and drawn with the Imperial Services, and beaten Norway, Denmark and Ireland, the only defeat sustained by Ireland in the present season.

Edmunds has a victory over Corporal O'Shea to his credit, so that the return between them should be a very interesting affair. The Welsh team is reckoned a stronger one than even that which Germany sent over recently.

CO. DUBLIN BOARD, I.A.B.A.

At a meeting of the Co. Dublin Board of the I.A.B.A. last night a lengthy discussion took place regarding the lack of representation which the board had on the Central Council, and it was proposed that a recommendation be forwarded to the latter for an exchange of minutes between the two bodies.

It was announced that owing to the inability of the Welsh team to remain over after the tournament against Ireland at the Mansion House on Friday, 12th inst., the second tournament, arranged for Dun Laoghaire, had been concelled.

The following tournament dates were sanctioned:—April 7, Rover Scouts' Championships; April 15, St. Patrick's.

At a meeting of the Leinster Council a sub-committee was appointed to consider the matter of sending teams through the country with the object of assisting in the spread of the sport.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN OUTPOINTED.

Lindrum outpointed Newman in both sessions at Manchester yesterday. He compiled nearly 1,000 more points in the afternoon, and at night scored 1,860, against 200. The feature of the day's play was a break of 1,372 by Lindrum, 104 of this being compiled in the afternoon, and it was his sixteenth four-figure break of the season. Other notable innings by Lindrum were 518, 489, 197 and 172. Newman did not have a three-figure break, but is in play with 78 (unfinished). Closing scores—Newman (rec. 3,000) (in play), 5,198; Lindrum, 4,388.

TABLE TENNIS.

CHAMPIONSHIP DECIDED.

PRAGUE, Tuesday.

Czecho-Slovakia won the Swaythling Cup, which carries with it the Table Tennis Championship of the World. Hungary finished second and Austria third. The three countries had originally tied, but it was decided to play off for the Cup. Czecho-Slovakia surprisingly beat Hungary (the holders) by five matches to three, and afterwards beat Austria by five matches to two. Hungary beat Austria by five matches to one.

NAAS DEFEAT KILDARE.

At Kildare, Naas defeated Kildare by 2 penalty goals (6 points) to nil. The result of this match was looked upon with interest, as Naas are due to play Birr, in Birr, on Saturday next, in the first round of the Provincial Towns' Cup. The Kildare team will this Saturday have as visitors last year's Cup winners, Carlow.

HUNT TO PARTNER SOBEY.

Hampshire have decided upon an interesting experiment for their Rugby county championship semi-final against Gloucestershire at Portsmouth next Saturday. W. H. Sobey, the England international scrum-half, will be played at centre three-quarter with E. F. de Vere Hunt, the Irish international.

RYAN (MIDLANDS) CUP.

Entries for the above competition should be sent on or before Monday, the 15th instant, to R. O'Reilly, Bank of Ireland, Dublin, Hon. Secretary Ryan Cup Committee.

GARRYOWEN CUP.

TEMPLEMORE ...... 9 NENAGH 9

At Templemore a well-contested game ended in a draw.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

University College v Bart.'s Hospital. Lansdowne road, 3.15.
Bective Rangers 3rd A v. Veterinary College. Donnybrook, 3.30.
High School v. Old Boys' Union. Belgrave square, 3.30.
R.S.P.U. 3rd A v. Rosse College. Park av., 2.45.
Diocesan School (J.C.T.) v. King's Hospital (J.C.T.). Clonskeagh, 3 o'c.

TEAMS.

Bective Rangers 3rd "A"—W. Mooney; P. J. McCarthy, M. Byrne, E. R. Maguire, R. J. Duggan; Sean Kelly, S. P. McHugh; J. Blake, G. Daly, J. Kelleher, W. Magee, M. O'Flaherty, R. Power, F. P. Smith, M. Waldron.

Railway Union 3rd "A"—A. G. Kelly; J. A. Dunne, K. McCourt (capt.), G. McNeaney, P. Spillane; A. Banville, K. C. Dempsey (scrum), F. Sheehy, M. P. Floyd, A. J. Sommerville, E. Potts, C. Billings, A. J. Kelly, K. Naughton, J. West. Subs.—W. Ryan, T. Byrne, R. Cashman.

Diocesan School—G. Maxwell; T. Moorehead, D. Ingram, F. Potts, T. Dycher; C. Fox, R. Malcolm; D. Fry, D. Colin, R. Ladely, J. Leeson, J. Foote, M. Jones, R. Earle, R. Patterson. Subs.—Martin, Browne, Harpur.

High School Old Boys' Union.—A. E. Robinson; R. W. Fox, D. Hennessy, H. Stafford, J. McClean; R. J. Walker and D. Burney; M. Bell, R. H. S. Ballagh, C. V. Boyle, J. Cairns, C. V. F. Lyster, T. D. Murphy, J. McBeth, W. G. Taylor.

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BIG DAY AT NEWBRIDGE.

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BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

WHEN Mr. Morrissey, the hon. secretary of the Newbridge Club, announced on our moving off yesterday morning that they re all out to set up a record by running off sixty odd courses from the three beats selected, doubted very much if the expected success uld be achieved, but from the beginning it was vious that the task would be accomplished, and rtly after four o'clock the seemingly impossible l been surmounted with the greatest ease. A few of the stakes were divided, and, all told, had fifty-eight slips—an exceptional day's work the open country, so far as coursing in Ireland latter years is concerned. The bulk of it was through on Colonel Giles Loder's preserves, rty-two courses being obtained to start with, d seventeen being run off on the Sheep Walk, a further off, the finish being at Mr. Coffey's ce.

All through the coursing was excellent. Indeed, was the best day in the open country any of us ve enjoyed for close on a quarter of a century. was reminescent of the palmy days of Bour- wn, Dunsandle and Borris-in-Ossory, and it can said that the promoting club has, after much nest striving, succeeded in reviving the best ditions of these grand old meetings.

We had many heavy courses, for in the spring- e weather the bulk of the game stood up in great le, but some of the hares from the first beat re not so good, and the handicap for the second nds was somewhat uneven, but, on the whole, hares provided fairly uniform trials.

The puppies got it hard, but not one had such dose of it as Hearty Maid in her bye in the al Stakes, the hare bringing them across to the er, where they got on to a second, which they t, only to be run to a complete standstill by a rd—a regular Lydiate course it was. But for grueller this extremely game son of Solid Man Cosa Bana would likely have made it a fine rse between herself and Diana Dear, another lish runner, but she had to be withdrawn, and the deciding course Mr. Dunne's bitch decisively paced Mr. J. D. Bruton's Sion Girl behind an- er trimming hare. Beaded Ripple also suffered mination as a result of a grueller in her first rse with Skin Deep, which ran a disappointing rse, and was of little assistance to her.

The dog puppies in the Curragh Stake were re fortunate than the bitches, but we had one satisfactory course in it, that between Hidden ute and Tight Escape in the third round. ortly after leaving slips Light Escape, with the er just about to lead, threw up his head at drain, and they did not join until the hare d reached the fringe of the crowd, behind which course was run. The judge decides on what sees, and the flag went up for Hidden Brute, ose owner then divided with Town Rattler, but ht Escape at least merited another chance.

There was also a division in the Newbridge kes, for 12 all-ages, between Royal Heroine d Ritticks, and Beautiful Rose and Duke of llington shared the money in the Morristown kes, while Kemes Lass gave a few stylish plays in the Rosetown Stakes, and ran on right l to achieve a handsome victory over Nameless d in the deciding course.

Judge—Mr. M. F. Davin. Slipper—M. Horan.

TRIAL STAKES—For 9 bitch puppies.

Beaded Ripple beat Skin Deep; Sion Girl t Silverbrook; Show Girl beat Up Newbridge; arty Maid beat Oh Patti; Diana Dear, a bye.

Second Round—Sion Girl, a bye; Beaded Ripple, wn; Diana Dear beat Show Girl; Hearty Maid, bye.

Deciding Course—Mr. D. Dunne's f. Diana Dear usty Millar—Merry Speed) beat Mr. J. D. uton's bd. Sion Girl (Solid Man—Creagh Girl); arty Maid (a bye), being drawn through diss.

NEWBRIDGE STAKES—For twelve all-ages.

Doubtful Jer beat Sporting Sea; Royal Heroine t Moyvalley; Clonoughlis beat Downcast; Lady bridge beat Chinkie; Ritticks beat Maoil Eoin; cle Sam beat Guillibelle.

Second Round—Royal Heroine beat Doubtful ; Clonoughlis beat Lady Celbridge; Ritticks t Uncle Sam.

Third Round—Royal Heroine beat Clonoughlis; ticks, a bye.

Mrs. M. J. Ryan's bd. b. Royal Heroine (Mut- Cutlet—Rosey's Heroine) and Mr. E. Bray's d. Ritticks (Hargrove—Cheap Talk), divided.

CURRAGH STAKES—For 12 dog puppies.

Hidden Brute beat Drunkard; Celbridge Signal t Great Gip; Glenashout beat J. E. P.; Town ttler beat Ergo Sum; Tight Escape beat Gol- Millar.

Second Round—Hidden Brute beat Celbridge nal; Town Rattler beat Glenashout; ight cape, a bye.

Third Round—Hidden Brute beat Tight Escape; n Rattler, a bye.

Mr. T. Harte's f. d. Hidden Brute (Brutus ongol) and Mr. J. H. Taylor's w. bd. d. Town ttler (Rattleaway—Town Lady) divided.

MORRISTOWN STAKES—For 16 two-course all-ages.

Hasty Proof beat Brighter Guardsman; Bear Rose beat Caravan Kate; Tullamore Girl t Special Concession; Dollyburn beat Town pper; Syncopated Sally beat Harmzee Lass; e of Wellington beat Beaded Un; Medical l beat Grinning Eagle; Long Nancy, a bye; estair, absent.

Second Round—Beautiful Rose beat Hasty of; Dollyburn beat Tullamore Girl; Duke Wellington beat Syncopated Sally; Medical d beat Long Nancy.

Third Round—Beautiful Rose beat Dollyburn; e of Wellington beat Medical Maid.

Mr. J. O'Reilly's bk. b. Beautiful Rose (Border -Flag o' War) and Mr. James O'Reilly's f. l. Duke of Wellington (Lord Klipper—Plum ker) divided.

SETOWN STAKES—For 16 one-course all-ages.

Regium Donum beat Kilcoo Laddies; Fairy Earl White Corner; Nameless Lad beat Kern; den Silver beat Ballyellen; Lucky Guide beat e Block; Celbridge Man beat Little Tim in; Corclorgh Lady beat Lass of Bonnie n; Kemes Lass beat Vendoran.

Second Round — Regium Donum beat Fairy l; Nameless Lad beat Golden Silver; Lucky de beat Celbridge Man; Kemes Lass beat clorgh Lady.

Third Round — Nameless Lad beat Regium num; Kemes Lass beat Lucky Guide.

Deciding Course—Mr. J. Mahony's w. bd. b. nes Lass (Golden Speed—Kibosh) beat Mr. C. uire's r. d. Nameless Lad (Melksham Queer es—Kilbrancy Girl).

DUAGH AND MOYNSHA.

TRIAL STAKE (26 dog puppies).—First Round ers—Mantua, Clinker's Rattler, Feale Foam, kie's Howl, Winning Band, Tough Hustler, low Shore, Shrone Worker, Hour of Hush, le Shore, Malhoeman, Floating Foam, Rattling let.

Second Round—Clinker's Rattler beat Mantua; kie's Howl beat Feale Foam; Tough Hustler Winning Band; Hollow Shore beat Shrone rker; Single Shore beat Hour of Hush; Malhoe- beat Floating Foam; Rattling Bullet a bye.

TRIAL STAKES (19 bitch puppies).—First nd winners—Dick's Bullet, Fiery Etna, hileonnor, Tullabeg, Blazing Bush, Silver l, Shaggy, Wavelet, Miss le Max, Feale Vale ye.

MEMBERS' STAKES (13 2-course maidens).— t Round winners—Cocheron, Trieneragh's Pride, onlight Sonata, Barnaduff Bounder, Raging m, Game for Sure, Dominick a bye.

DUAGH STAKES (7 all-ages).—First Round ers—Violets are Blue, Ticket Office, Feale , Flowery Fort a bye.

KANTURK—YESTERDAY.

COOLIGEELA STAKES. — **Decider** — Mr. J. nnor's Joyful Company (Quick Step—Black y) beat Brogeel Girl (Newman Noggs—Fairy Lass).

FAIRYHILL STAKES (15 dog puppies)—**Decider** r. D. O'Connor's Ballybeg Rover (Dick the er—Maxon's Lady) beat K.T.K. (Solid Man - ks).

CASTLEMAGNER STAKES (7 all-ages)—**De-** —Dr. P. O'Callaghan's Chinaman (Yarborough ady Stinna) beat Mr. D. O'Keeffe's Benruhe rry Den—Sara Gabbit).

CURRAGH STAKE (16)—**Decider**—Mr. D. Gill's of Style (Delage II.—Sweet Susanne) beat D. Lemord's Killarran Beauty (Kildarra Boy— n Grey).

SURPLUS STAKES—Divided between Miss y's Murmur (Athos—Gipsey's Reach) and Miss owney's Rockwell Nell (Athos—Gipsey's Reach).

MOURNE PARK—TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW.

ULSTER CUP of £100—For 26 all-ages.

r. Mulholland's Long Wanted For v. Mr. J s Cunning Rambler.

Campbell's Claremount Pride v. Mr. Mul- nd's Least Wanted.

r. M. McGrath's Lisnagade Lad v. Mr. Mul nd's Broughderg.

r. R. O'Hanlon's Slieve Solitude v. Mr. S k's Mighty Smart.

r. H. Mussen's Magheragh Lad v. Mr. W op's Bog Town Stretch.

r. G. McDonald's The Panther v. Mr. J. 's Block Peter.

r. G. McDonald's Odd Brandy v. Mr. T enson's Sure Stride.

r. G. Rogers's Redoubtable v. Mr. McArdle's gher Elen.

r. H. Hanna's Forward Pass v. Mrs. H. Mus ns. Macaroon.

r. Jas. O'Hare ns Capt. Streater v. Mr. S kner's Glenoak.

r. P. Campbell's Old Bow v. Mr. G. Rogers Lord Drew.

r. R. Annett ns. Fair Fergus v. Mr. F. Allen's pero.

r. J. Maguire's Miss Cutlet v. Mr. J mpsey's Myrtle M.

OSTREVOR STAKE (8)—Mr. H. Mussen's Old Scotch v. Mr. T. McClurg's Rexhall; Mr. Mussen's Moira More v. Mr. T. Hanratty's olly's Gift; Mr. H. Warnock's Tishy's Fancy r. H. McShane's Maid o' Mine; Mr. M rath's Rovers Bridge v. Mr. J. Duffy's Tying n.

CAL STAKES (8)—Mr. D. McConville's lley's Well v. Mr. A. McLoughlin's Midnight z; Mr E. George's Jerry's Hope v. Mr. J re's The Leestone; Mrs. R. Mussen's Mary- t v. Mr. F. Small's Peg of the River; Mr McConville's Massforth v. Mr. R. Nugent's nal.

IAL STAKES (12 dogs)—Mr. A. Gordon's Man v. Mr. J. M'Elroy's My Bell; Mr. D nville's My Bargain v. Drs. Devlin and e's Most Devilish; Mr. C. Loughlin's Lisraw p'er v. Mr. F. Allen's Drumo; Mr. J. Burns' r Baron v. Mr. J. McAleenan's Mourne Tim; P. J. Ryan's Ruse de Guerre v. Drs. Devlin Moore's Very Difficult; Mr. E. Donegan's Guard v. Mr. H. Mussen's Mountain Brewery.

RRENPOINT STAKES (13 two-course ns)—Mr. L. Roddy's Machine Gunner v. Mr. cAuley's Heasman Again; Mr. H. Mussen's Pace v. Mr. R. Wright's Slieve Chasm; P. O'Hanlon's Denis Mullan v. Mr. H. Mus- Breezy Boy; Messrs. Kanmuir and Cole's Lapse v. Mr. J. McSherry's Malone Boy; S. Faulkner's Gold Crest v. Mr. J. amp Culloden; Mr. D. Chambers's Mary Man- [illegible] and Moore's Julie, a bye.

WATERLOO CUP PROBABLES.

HOW NOMINATIONS MAY BE FILLED.

The following are some of the probable nominations for the Waterloo Cup, which will be run on Wednesday, February 10th, and two following days:—

Mr. O. S. Ambrose's STUNTNEY FIRST.

Mr. E. Baxter's f. d. BENNACHIE, by Trained Band—Egyptian Belle, or w. bd. b. EXOTIC BLOOM, by Golden Seal—Edna Best.

Mr. J. H. Bean's w. f. b. BERGAMOT, by Brutus —Brocade.

Mr. H. Bell's bk. d. p. BEDFELLOW, by Brave Escort—Ballot.

Major C. Blundell's r. f. b. BONDMAID, by Pentonville—Mischievous Millie.

Sir R. W. Burbidge's bd. d. p. WYNDALE, by White Collar—Waterplane.

Mr. A. Boazman.

Mr. E. C. L. Bradley ns. bk. t. d. p. WINA-LITTLE, by Brave Escort—Windover.

Mr. K. Brown.

Mr. R. R. Cleare's bk. w. b. CENTRE COURT, by Red Robin—Cruchanella.

Mr. C. M. Cohan's f. b. p. EXTRA LIGHT, by White Collar—Forest Fame.

Mr. Thomas Cook ns. Mr. Baxter's second string.

Mr. T. G. Curtis's r. f. d. FOSTON, by King of Spades—Paxton, or bk. d. p. NEWVILLE CHASE, by Chance Luck—Newville Cherry.

Mr. H. D. Dennis's r. f. d. DINNER DRESS, by Whisky Cocktail—Dear Dear, or bd. w. b. p. DAINTY DRAPERY, by Jovial Judge—Dainty Dress.

Mr. J. A. Dewar's be. w. d. DALARUAN, by Demetrius—Beaded Jean, or bd. b. DORIQUE, by Halmirah—Delvino.

Mr. J. E. Dennis's bd. d. p. DEE CAPTAIN, by De Novo—Dentaria.

Mr. S. M. Dennis.

Mr. W. Ellis ns. Mr. J. Shand's r. f. d. p. BEN TINTO, by Raingauge—Bright Event.

Miss R. Fawcett's f. d. SWAHILI, by Keen Laddie—Salsette.

Mr. J. W. Fullerton ns. w. bk. d. STOCKWELL STREET, by Solid Man—Matchless Star.

Mr. F. Fawcett ns. w. f. d. FORTUNE FOUNDER, by Golden Seal—Fetterless Flight.

Captain K. Gladstone ns. bd. d. p. GENIAL NOBLEMAN, by White Collar—Burletta.

Mr. D. Graham.

Mr. D. J. Gorey's bd. d. GESTHUS, by Bottle —Carling Girl.

Sir J. Humphery's bd. d. HAD AGAIN, by Golden Seal—Hampshire.

Mr. T. Harte's bd. d. HIDDEN BOTTLE, by Trained Band—Lilliah.

Mr. James Hedley's r. f. d. HARELAW HILL, by Keen Laddie—Radstock.

Mr. W. Heyworth ns Mr. O. J. Jackson's bd. d. p. JUBILANT, by Golden Seal—Bit of Fashion.

Mr. M. G. Hale's be d. HAPPY TOKEN, by De Novo—Junora, or bd. d. HAPPY TUNE, by Trained Band—Junora.

Mr. J. A. Harrop's bd. b. HARSUZAN, by Gip's Pride—Harissima.

Mr. N. Hardy's bd. d. NINE HIGH, by Trained Band—Chosen Girl.

Mr. J. L. Jarvis ns r. f. d. BORED EXPRESSION, by Lawman—Beef Essence.

Mr. J. Atkinson Jowitt's r. f. d. JODHPUR, by White Collar—Norcot Jessie.

Lord Lonsdale's r. f. b. p. LAWFUL MARRIAGE, by Lawman—Lawful Pride, or bd. d. p. LIGHT HEAD, by Hautley—Lightfoot.

Sir R. McAlpine.

General R. McCalmont's bk. b. p. MAUVE CAP, by Red Robin—Middle Cut.

Mr. T. A. Morris's bd. d. MYLES THE SLASHER, by Mutton Cutlet—Menace.

Mr. H. McAlinden.

Mr. G. Mayall ns. Mr. C. G. Osborne's second string.

Major J. Milnes's ns. bd. d. p. ROUGH CUSTOMER, by Triton—Grille.

Mr. F. C. Minoprio's bk. d. p. MONOLITH, by De Novo—Euphemia.

Sir G. Noble's f. w. d. p. PARIS NEWS, by Raingauge—Delicatesse.

Mr. C. G. Osborne's bd. d. GALLOPING OUTRIDER, by Best Judge—Uplands Bette.

Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan's r. f. d. DEE SIDE, by Jovial Judge—Dentaria.

Major H. Peel's bd. d. BRYN SOFA, by Blower —Bryn Settle.

Mr. H. C. Pilkington's r. f. b. p. PINCURL, by Blower—Pinwire, or r. f. d. PASSPORT, by Brave Escort—Be Easy.

Mr. F. A. Parker's bl. d. p. PARLACK, by De Novo—Dicentra.

Lord Rosebery's bk. d. DANIELLI, by Red Robin—January.

Mr. J. V. Rank's r. f. b. p. JEST REPEATED, by Brave Escort—Be Easy.

Mr. H. V. Rayner's r. f. d. ROBIN'S WOOD, by Latto—Wedgwood.

Mr. R. Rank's bk. d. ROUGH ROPE, by Red Robin—High Stakes.

Mr. T. Ramsden's r. d. RUSCOE, by Latto—Brilliance.

Mr. A. Gordon Smith's w. bd. d. EPSOM BACKER, by Golden Seal—Edna Best.

Mr. G. Smith's r. f. d. SYLVESTER, by Keen Laddie—Saucy Sal.

Lord Sefton's w. f. d. SPECIALIST, by King of Spades—Safety First.

Countess of Sefton.

Mr. W. Shaw's bd. d. p. LYM SPY, by Hautley —Pennine Harpist.

Mr. W. J. Slipper ns. bd. d. JOHNNY PETERS, by Gip's Pride—Harissima, or bk. d. p. VANCOUVER, by Valentino—Saham Sister Susie.

Mr. S. Storey.

Mr. J. Shaw's ns. f. b. COLLABORATION, by Jerrim—Cosmic.

Mr. G. E. F. Tenison's be. d. p. TAMPICO, by Tabac—Trumpet.

Lord Tweedmouth's bd. w. d. TERENCE, by Keen Laddie—Tidy Business.

Captain Webster's r. f. d. p. WRISEDALE, by Hautley—Trappings.

Mrs. S. Whitburn's ns. bd. d. WHITE CUFF, by White Collar—Burletta.

ROSCREA—TO-DAY.

Judge—Mr. P. J. Murphy. Slipper—P. J. Kinane.

CARRICK STAKE (11 dog puppies)—Farmers Vale v. Gollywoggles; O'Meara's Brown Hill v. Fancy Billie; Garvey's Boy v. Dear Brieze; Planaganet v. Homeric; Tipperary Steeple v. Onward Denny; Barataria a bye.

PARKMORE STAKE (11 bitch puppies)—Dark Daisy v. Rapid River; Fanny Peg v. Southern Swank; Roving Peggy v. True Blue; Black Osprey v. Monanore Girl; Never Napette v. Sister Biddie; Violets in June a bye.

ROSCREA (No. 1) STAKE (3 all-ages)—Glennon v. Barton's Hallow; Betty's Boy a bye.

ROSCREA (No. 2) STAKE (6 all-ages, bitches) Trellus v. Local Times; Rambling Kit v. Tables Turned; Glenbeha Girl v. Hidden Judy.

INANE STAKE (16 two-course maidens)—Fair Gale v. Ballinue Boy; Tipperary Battler v. Self-Help; Brindle Foam v. Shell Hill; Queen's Encounter v. Lonely Bessy; Business Lizzie v. Cooler; Careless Fowler v. Vanity Bag; Faithful Katty v. Rattle with Pride; Whispering Pines v. Stop the Race.

First brace in slips at 12 o'clock.

ENNISCORTHY DRAW FOR TO-MORROW.

Judge—Mr. M. Walsh. Slipper—W. Casey

PUPPY STAKE (10)—Sean's Choice v. Well Selected; My Pilot v. Lonesome Act; Hill Spinner v. Murphy's Mistake; Mill Isle Hope v. Carrigbeg; Ballinavarry v. Sister Peggy.

SLANEY STAKE (7 all-ages)—Hunter's Chops v. Queer Joke; Comrade Kiwi v. Milano; Hedgerow Harvest v. So She Says; Brown Bird a bye.

MEMBERS' STAKE (16 all-ages)—Guaire v. Mobile Boy; Walpamur v. Bargain; Let Felix Come v. Maffeld Pilot; Crown Post v. My Fergus; Highland Bottle v. Faithful Boy; Highland Dolly v. Queen Maeve; With the Tide v. Armagh Bridge; Saucy Lady v. Rose of Inglewood.

RURAL STAKE (16)—Chaseaway v. Highland Tom; Haki v. Whelan's Hill; Musterole v. Black Wonder; Wheelock's Own v. Silver Dollar; Silver Swan v. Bellelorough; Drifting Snow v. Kilcarbery Daisy; Charming Conclusion v. My Destiny; Oh Snow v. Miss Spinner.

First brace in slips at 1 o'clock.

ROWING.

SERIOUS WORK BY BOAT RACE CREWS.

Yesterday the Cambridge crew was sent over the three-quarters of a mile course, from Ditton Corner to the Pike and Eel, at a racing pace, and covered the distance in 4 mins. 29 3-5 secs. The conditions were good, and the time some seconds faster than in the corresponding period last year.

A change in the order of rowing was made in the Oxford crew, J. de R. Kent (Brasenose), who had occupied a seat in the reserve eight, superseding W. H. Migotti (Worcester) at No. 7. The crew accomplished some hard work under the supervision of Colonel Gibbon. They proceeded in easy stages to Sandford, and then rowed from the Horsegate to Nuneham Island, a distance of two and a half miles. The eight paddled to Black Bridge, and on the return journey they reached Sandford in two long pieces of paddling; then, with two short bursts of rowing on the way, returned to the Boathouse.

GOLF.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

SUTTON.

Saturday next, monthly medal, bogey.

DONABATE.

Ladies Branch—At the annual general meeting, held in the Moira Hotel on the 22nd ult., Mrs. McAleese (captain) presiding, the election of officers for 1932 resulted as follows:—President, Mrs. Ferguson; captain, Mrs. Pyke; hon. secretary, Mrs. McAleese; hon. treasurer, Mrs. Brennan. Committee—Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Herlihy, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. Woakes.

KILLINEY.

Ladies' Branch.—Next Friday, 16-hole sweep, bogey; draw 10.30 and 2 o'clock.

CLONTARF.

Ladies' Branch—Winter medal, final—Mrs. O'Kelly and Mrs. Wilson tied with 83 each. Tomorrow—Monthly medal, 18 holes, strokes.

ROYAL DUBLIN.

Saturday—Medal, bogey.

Song of Essex a Non-Runner on Friday.

Song of Essex will not run at Lingfield Park on Friday **in the General Peace Open Hurdle Race.**

BADMINTON.

ALL-IRELAND OPEN TOURNAMENT.

HANDICAP EVENTS AT ELM PARK.

PLAY in the All-Ireland Open Championship meeting began at Elm Park last evening, when considerable progress was made in the handicap events. The entry all round is excellent, especially in the championships, which, with all the visiting English team competing, will see the best players of the present day in action. Play in the handicaps will be continued this evening, while on Thursday morning the championship contests will commence. The international match between Ireland and England will be played on Friday evening, beginning at 6 o'clock. Details:—

Men's Handicap Doubles—Second Round—J. H. and J. P. Pigot (3) beat J. Burrowes and B. Dewar (5)—15-2, 15-7; R. H. Clarke and J. Wallace (minus 4) beat S. Cooper and H. Duke (minus 7)—15-14, 13-15, 15-13.

Women's Handicap Doubles—First Round—Miss S. Carty and Mrs. Kelly (minus 4) beat Misses Courtenay and B. Good (scr.)—15-2, 15-4; Misses J. Byrne and Chatterton (8) beat Mrs. Fletcher and Miss Draper (7)—15-12, 14-15, 15-12; Miss Homan and Mrs. Hogan (minus 6) beat Mrs. Wallace and Miss Thompson (4)—15-5, 15-8; Misses Stoker and Good (minus 8) beat Miss Sime and Mrs. Dunn (3)—15-5, 15-6; Miss Macdougald and Miss Smith (minus 4) w.o., Misses Patten and Pike scr.; Misses Killeen and K. Courtney (minus 1) beat Miss E. Carty and Mrs. Nichols (scr.)—15-14, 15-14.

Mixed Handicap Doubles "B"—First Round—A. P. Trapnell and Mrs. Lamb (1) beat T. P. Downes and Miss Seery (minus 6)—12-15, 15-7, 15-10; J. Brown and Miss Killeen (minus 1) beat R. J. Nichols and Miss K. Courtney (5)—15-12, 15-11; J. O'Neill and Miss Courtenay (minus 1) beat J. P. Pigot and Miss B. Good (6)—15-8, 15-12; C. M. Hill and Miss E. Webb (scr.) beat J. K. Maconky and Mrs. Nichols (minus 4)—15-13, 12-15, 15-14.

Second Round—C. Booth and Miss Conway (minus 8) beat W. H. Kenny and Miss Dunlop (5)—15-13, 15-12; W. C. Stephen and Miss Harris (3) beat J. Burrowes and Miss McKean (4)—15-3, 15-1.

TO-NIGHT'S PROGRAMME.

6.30—Rankin and Mrs. Argue v. H. and Mrs. Macdougald; J. McCallum and Mrs. Horsley v. N. Good and Miss Hamilton; W. O'Neill and J. O'Neill v. Boyle and Latchford; Thorpe and Miss Good v. G. Stewart and Mrs. Stewart; Maidment and Miss Stoker v. J. H. Pigot and Miss Rankin; L. Green and S. Browne v. Rankin and Hall.

7.30—Bolton and Paltridge v. Maidment and Booth; Clarke and Wallace v. Pigot and Pigot; Hall and Trapnell v. Stewart and Egan; Klinger and Thorpe v. winner of "A"; Mrs. Good and Miss Pilkington v. Miss Rankin and Mrs. Argue; Mrs. Stewart and Miss Wilson v. Misses Mack and Twigg.

All other competitors in handicap events are required to be present at 7.30.

MIDLAND CUP DRAWS.

The draw in the Midland Section of the All-Ireland Junior Cup has been made, and is as follows:—

First Round—A—Pembroke 2nd v. Dublin Friends; B—Sandford 2nd v. St. Philip's; C—Charleston v. Dalkey.

Second Round—Winner of A v. Dawson; winner of B v. winner of C.

The draw in the Midland Branch Junior Cup is as follows:—

First Round—A—Dalkey v. Dawson; B—Carlow v. Rathmines; C—Epworth v. Monkstown; D—Pembroke 2nd v. St. Philip's.

Second Round—Seapoint v. Dundrum; winner of A v. winner of B; winner of C v. winner of D; Sandymount v. Dublin Friends.

HUNTING

MEATH HOUNDS.

SATURDAY—Roristown. Mr. and Mrs. Smith very kindly entertained quite a large field. A fox found in Newhaggard went away to the Plantation, and, turning left-handed over the lane to Mr. Malone's house, he turned back towards the covert, but was lost before getting there. Potterton's gorse was blank. They found a brace in Trimblestown, the hunted one going away by the river. He turned sharp to the left, however, and left Oakstown House on his right. Hounds ran on over the Trim-Athboy road, and on by Steeplestown and over the Trim-Dunderry road into Carrollstown, where he got to ground a few fields past the house. This finished.

Monday—Somerville. All the woods in the demesne were drawn blank. A fox found in Knockcomragh Wood provided a lot of woodland hunting, but he had to be left. There was a find at once in Sclator's. This fox went away on the Corbalis side and crossed the road, and, with Corbalis covert on his right, ran on by Mazetown and pointed for Greenpark. Turning to the right here, he went into Corbalton, where he got to ground near the house, after a nice thirty minutes. From the Hill Wood at Lismullen a fox ran to the Decoy, and on by the house to the Glen, and out over the road pointing for Walterstown, but got to ground before getting there. A fox found in Brady's Wood at Dowestown ran through all the woods, and on over the Oldtown lane, and on over Corbalis and past the Decoy to Monctown, where he got to ground after a good day's sport.

Yesterday's meet was at Moyglare. Hounds found at once in Moyglare, and went away very fast, pointing for the Wild Goose, but turned sharp, with the covert well on his left. He then crossed the Donaldtown road, and went on over the Ryewater River, and turning to the right got to ground at The Manes, after a good twenty minutes. Mulhusy was blank, and a bad fox in Colistown went away towards The Hatchet, but turning left ran a ring back to the covert. Going away in the same direction again, he went on to Jenkinstown, and got into a gullet under a gateway, from which he was pushed out and killed. A fox found in Roanstown went away along the river, and ran very fast to Vessington, where he was killed, after twenty minutes. They found next in Wearingstown. This fox went away on the Dunboyne side, and turning to the right crossed the Dunboyne road, and ran very fast to Ballymacol and on into Hamwood, where hounds were run out of scent, after a very good day.

CARLOW HOUNDS.

Saturday, 30th January, Fighting Cocks.—Ballintrane and Kilconnor Bog both failed to hold. Ballydarton, however, held a brace, and hounds were soon away on good terms with a fox who crossed the Burrin, and ran over Mr. Keppell's farm, through Kilmaglush, into Raheen covert, where he was marked to ground. A brace more were soon on foot, and after a lot of covert hunting one was forced away on the Ballydarton side, and running over Mr. Carty's farm crossed the Myshall road at the Tailors' Cross, and after running a very twisty line he was hunted slowly into Ballydarton covert, where all traces of him vanished.

Ullard was the next draw. There were a brace of foxes on foot, but it was some time before one of them was induced to leave. Crossing the Myshall road, hounds ran up to Knockbrack, through the old covert, and ran nicely along the hill in the direction of Kildavin. Keeping the high ground for some time, hounds crossed the old Myshall-Kildavin road, and running straight over Bayley's Hill turned up the steep side of Kilbranish. Here a fresh fox jumped up close to hounds, and the pack divided. The leading hounds, however, stuck to the hunted fox, and hunting him round the top of the mountain they ran into him on the Myshall side. The remainder of the pack in the meantime marked their fox to ground about a quarter of a mile from where the fox was killed. A very good hunt of an hour and ten minutes over a fine, wild country.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

THE WARD UNION.

Date	Meet.	Hour.
February.		
To-day	Fairyhouse Bridge	1.30
Saturday, 6th	Ashbourne	1.30

THE KILDARE.

Thursday, 4th	Ballitore	11.0
Saturday, 6th	Celbridge	11.0

THE MEATH.

Thursday, 4th	Aclare	11.0
Friday, 5th	Culmullen	11.0
Saturday, 6th	Loughcrew	11.0

BRAY HARRIERS.—February—Wednesday, 3rd, Powerscourt Jumping Competitions; Saturday, 6th Bray; Wednesday, 10th, Newtownmountkennedy; Saturday, 13th, Cabinteely; Wednesday, 17th, Kilcool; Saturday, 20th, Rathnew; Wednesday, 24th, Roundwood; Saturday, 27th, Roundwood, Jumping competitions, 2 p.m. Meets—Saturday, 2 o'c.; Wednesday, 1.30.

FERMANAGH HARRIERS.—February—Wednesday, 3rd, Levaghy; Friday, 12th, Monea; Wednesday, 17th, Lisnarick; Wednesday, 24th, Feglish. At 12 o'clock.

U.H.C.—February — Friday, 5th, Killendaniel; Saturday, 6th, Mogeely; Monday, 8th, Coolgreen; Wednesday, 10th, Penfield Cross-roads; Friday, 12th, Glenville; Saturday, 13th, Rathorgan. At 11 o'clock.

SWIMMING

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY S.C.

At a meeting of Colourmen held in No. 7 T.C.D. yesterday, W. M. E. Anderson was elected captain of the club for the coming season.

RUGBY CHALLENGE CUP.

Mrs. R. A. Stoney (wife of the President) presenting the Royal College of Surgeons' Inter-Challenge Cup to J. H. Armstrong, captain of the "H" team, which defeated the "A" team in the final at Terenure, Dublin, yesterday.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

A STRONG LEAGUE SIDE.

BOHEMIANS' REMARKABLE DEFEAT BY DOLPHIN.

BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

LAST Wednesday's trial match at Dalymount must have proved a considerable help to the Selectors in getting the best Free State League team to oppose the Welsh League at Llanelly on Saturday week, and they seem to have done their job quite satisfactorily. The side has, I fancy, won general approval, and contains six Dublin and five provincial players, Cork, Dundalk and Waterford all being represented.

The chief failing of the Free State side against Spain was the lack of speed in every department, but this side, which contains four home and seven cross-Channel players, should be far better in this respect, especially at half-back. Patton and Arrigan were certain of selection after their play in the trial, but the picking of Kelly, who did not play on that occasion, was a wise move; for neither Craig nor Matthews proved satisfactory. The latter, owing to his consistent form this season for Shamrock Rovers, was expected to get his place, but he did not give his backs much assistance, while he dribbled too much, and thus rather upset his forwards. Craig, on the other hand, was a third full-back, and, well though he performed this job, he did not help his attack sufficiently. He is a neat and clever player and with more attack in his game would be a first-class man. Kelly, though he has not played in every match for Dolphin, is a sound player, if not brilliant, both in defence and attack. The forwards will probably require more assistance than the defence, and here Kelly will be useful. Arrigan and Patton keep the ball on the ground, and give good passes, and the line looks well capable of tackling the job.

McCLOY IMPRESSES.

The same may be said of the defence. Lennox is a big-match player, and has never let a representative side down; while McCloy, who had a big reputation with Manchester City before coming to Cork, was the big success of the trial. His coolness under pressure, and his accurate kicking and tackling make him the best back in the Free State at the moment. Leckie has certainly proved himself the most consistent goal-keeper, who can frequently rise to heights of brilliance. Bray owe him a good deal for their high position in the league; for the rest of their defence has not been any too sound. Actually Harris appeared the better of the two in the trial; for he had more to do, and undoubtedly gave one of his cleverest displays, yet he lacks steadiness, and while he can save a fierce drive, or dive at a forward's feet with great skill and courage, he is apt to let an unexpected soft shot beat him, and he is also inclined to drop the ball when he is bustled by a centre-forward. Leckie, on his form this season, is a sounder goalkeeper.

HORLACHER OR MIDDLETON?

The attack more or less selected itself. Paterson and Smith were outstanding, and the former, at his best, is really quite exceptionally clever, and also a dangerous shot. Smith, the little Cork player, made an excellent impression by the speed and directness of his game, while his partner, Swan, of Waterford, if unobtrusive, is neat and clever in his passing. I would have preferred to see the other inside position filled by Middleton. Horlacher is probably a better shot, and is certainly a stronger and more forceful player, but he is not very constructive, and is hardly likely to get the best out of Paterson, as Middleton would be able to, and to get the best from Paterson will go a long way towards winning the match. It was a pity that Forster was unable to play; for it would have been interesting to contrast his play with Moore's. As it was, his substitute, McCarney, proved a failure, and Moore had no opposition for his place. His lack of height may prove a serious handicap against class full-backs, but, on the other hand, his earnestness would be apt to trouble them, and he got a typical goal in the second half of the trial, first of all tackling Sampy and forcing him to pass back to Harris, and going on to bustle the latter so successfully that he kicked the ball out of his hands into the net. The Welsh League team has not yet been selected, but it will have to be a distinctly useful side to win.

DOLPHIN THE GIANT-KILLERS.

Another goalkeeper's mistake was a feature of the week-end League matches, and it was bad luck on Cannon to make a mistake which cost his side such a valuable point, particularly for a man who has helped Bohemians to win so many honours in the past. Dolphin are proving real giant-killers, and if they had displayed anything like their present form in the middle of the season, they would be leading the field now. They are playing with that resolution, the lack of which was their failing previously; and allied to their clever football, it makes them almost the best side at the moment. Bohemians showed little football, there being no real understanding between halves and forwards, nor among the forwards themselves. Horlacher was by far the best of them, for he was the most dangerous shot. All the others had their chances, but failed badly to take them. The Dolphin forwards were not at their best either, but the halves and backs gave little away. Stevenson is becoming an adept at taking his chances, and for the second successive week-end gave his side victory with a last-minute goal.

Everything points to the Shamrock Rovers-Bohemians match being the decisive one of the League struggle, for Cork's big win over Bray Unknown at Cork points to another win for them when they visit Bray, and their only other match is against St. James's Gate. Thus to beat them Rovers have to win their last three games, and their match against the amateurs must be causing them a good deal of worry.

The division of points between Dundalk and Waterford has virtually extinguished both their hopes of finishing on top, and it must have been almost as disappointing a result for Dundalk as Bohemians' defeat by Dolphin was for the amateurs. With a 3-1 lead and only twenty minutes to go they certainly seemed to have the match in hand, but Kennedy, Waterford's reserve centre-forward, rose to the occasion splendidly, and scored the two goals which saved a point. It was the triangular play of Arrigan, Middleton and Crawford, which has been such a prominent feature of Waterford's play this year, that had most to do with saving the game.

Shamrock Rovers, as expected, had no trouble against Jacobs, and are on Cork's heels. A deciding match between these two for the championship would draw a wonderful gate and provide a wonderful match.

ENGLISH LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Grimsby Town	2	Aston Villa	2

CRICKET.

GRIMMETT CAUSES COLLAPSE.

TEN WICKETS DEFEAT FOR S. AFRICA.

Some fine bowling by Grimmett, who took the last six South African wickets in nine overs at a cost of nine runs, enabled Australia to beat South Africa by ten wickets in the fourth Test at Adelaide yesterday. Grimmett, who took seven wickets for 116 in the first innings, brought his bag of wickets to fourteen for 199 for the match. He flighted the ball cleverly, and frequently had the batsmen in two minds. His figures yesterday were:—49.2 overs, 17 maidens, 83 runs, 7 wickets.

The weakness of the South African batting was again revealed when, after Taylor and Mitchell had put on 121 for the third wicket, which fell at 224, the later batsmen collapsed badly, the remaining seven wickets falling for the addition of only 50 runs. Mitchell played another patient innings, and was ninth out when only 5 short of his century. Woodfull and Ponsford batted brightly, and knocked off the required runs in 45 minutes. Score:—

South Africa.—First Innings—303 (Mitchell 75, Taylor 78, Cameron 52; Grimmett, 7 for 116).

Australia.—First Innings—513 (Bradman not out 299; Bell 5 for 142).

SOUTH AFRICA—Second Innings.

S. Curnow b McCabe	3
J. A. J. Christy b Grimmett	51
B. Mitchell c Thurlow b Grimmett	95
H. Taylor b O'Reilly	84
C. L. Vincent b Grimmett	5
H. B. Cameron b O'Reilly	4
K. Viljoen b Grimmett	1
D. P. Morkel b Grimmett	15
Q. McMillan c Hunt b Grimmett	3
N. Quinn b Grimmett	1
A. J. Bell not out	0
Extras	12
Total	274

AUSTRALIA.—Second Innings—Woodfull not out, 37; Ponsford not out, 27. Extras, 9. Total (no wkt.), 73.

ENGLISH TEAM FOR WEST INDIES.

Seven amateurs and six professionals, under the captaincy of Lord Tennyson, the England and Hampshire captain, left Avonmouth yesterday for a tour of the West Indies. The players making the journey are:—Lord Tennyson (Hampshire), A. P. F. Chapman (Kent), G. T. S. Stevens (Middlesex), B. S. Valentine (Kent), G. D. Kemp-Welch (Warwickshire), C. F. Walters (Worcestershire), Capt. G. N. Scott Chad (Norfolk), H. F. Bagnall (Northamptonshire), Geary (G.) (Leicestershire), Astill (Leicestershire), Brown (Hampshire), Bowley (Sussex), Nichols (Essex), and Dacre (Gloucestershire).

Lincolnshire Handicap Items.

Billy Rickaby, who is to have the mount on Seascape in the Lincolnshire Handicap, made the acquaintance of Walter Earl's charge yesterday. Rickaby got on well with the filly, who, with Shining Jewel, covered a mile and a quarter at a useful pace. Pharian was out with Basil Jarvis's first lot, and, with others of the team, cantered six furlongs.

Postmastership.—Mr. Alfred Duggan, chief overseer Waterford Post Office, has been appointed postmaster at Tipperary. He is a native of Waterford.

ATHLETICS.

LADOUMEGUE SUSPENDED.

Jules Ladoumegue, the famous French runner, who holds several world's records, has been suspended by the French Athletic Federation for giving exhibitions for which, it is alleged, he received payment (says a Reuter message from Paris).

Ladoumegue has demanded a meeting with the organisers of the meetings at which he has given his support. The Federation has acceded to his request, but decided to withhold his licence until the matter is cleared up.

Interviewed by the *Auto*, Ladoumegue protested against the allegations that he received payment, and said that he had not taken a centime.

COURSING.—Notes of general interest and reports of all meetings appear in "THE IRISH FIELD." Published every Saturday. Price 2d.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

SAGGING TENDENCY OF COMMODITY MARKETS AFFECTS LIST: EASY CLOSE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

The Stock Exchange opened firm to-day. Yesterday's rally, together with the strength of the wheat market and advices to the effect that the Reconstruction Finance Corporation will be ready to function to-day, created a more cheerful sentiment on the Stock Market.

Copper shares, however, displayed weakness, the export quotation for Europe being reduced this morning to 6.87½.

With earnings, statements and dividends likely to occupy the attention of traders in the immediate future, the market subsequently reacted, the losses ranging from fractions to 2 points.

Later in the session the list drifted 1 to 4 points lower, with the sagging tendency of the Commodity markets constituting an adverse influence. Trading, however, was of a dull nature.

The Bond Market exhibited an irregular tendency to-day, but the consolidated weekly report of the Federal Reserve Member Banks showed a gain of $59,000,000 in the holdings of securities other than those of the United States Government, a fact which indicated that the banks were again investing in bonds. The market at the close was weak.

	Tues.	Mon.
Call Money	2½b. 2¾a	2½b. 2¾
Exchange on Lon.—60 days' sight	—	—
Do. Do. Demand Bills	3.45½	3.44¾
Cable Transfers	3.45¾	3.45⅛
Do. Montreal	3.98⅛	3.97¾
Exchange Paris cable	3.93 3/16	3.93 7/16

Eng Parity	STOCKS.	Closing Tues.	Bid Mon.
111 7/16	Atchison Topeka, Santa Fe	80½	84⅜
119 5/16	Do. Preferred	82½	82
26⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	18	19
20 11/16	Canadian Pacific (New Stock)	14⅜	15
36 3/16	Chesapeake and Ohio Com.	26½	27⅛
3¾	Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.	2⅞	2¾
13 15/16	Chicago and North-West	9⅞	10¾
11⅞	Erie Shares	8¼	8⅝
14⅝	Erie 1st Preferred	10⅛	11
21 3/16	Illinois Central	14⅞	15⅞
34 13/16	Louisville and Nashville	24	25
12½	Missouri Pacific	8⅞	9½
47 7/16	New York Central & Hudson R.	29⅜	30⅝
182⅝	Norfolk and West Com.	126	127
29	Northern Pacific Com.	20	20¾
29⅝	Pennsylvania Shares	20⅝	21¾
48 5/16	Reading Shares	33	34
47¾	Southern Pacific	32⅞	33⅞
14¾	Southern Railway	10¼	11¼
106¼	Union Pacific	73½	77
86	American Can. (New Stock)	59½	62⅝
22	American Smelting (New Stock)	15¼	16½
14¾	Anaconda Copper	10¼	10⅞
24⅞	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	17¼	18⅜
84 1/16	Consolidated Gas (New York)	58	59¼
27 15/16	General Electric (New Stock)	19⅜	20½
30 7/16	General Motors (New)	21	21⅜
4 5/16	Inter. Mer Marine Com Certs.	3	3
11¾	International Nickel	8⅛	8¼
118 15/16	National Lead	82	82
26⅛	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	18	18
10½	Radio Corporation	7⅜	7⅝
24¾	Royal Dutch Petroleum	17⅛	17½
13 9/16	Shell Transport and Trading	9½	9½
4 13/16	Shell Union Oil	3½	3½
5 15/16	U.S. Rubber	4⅛	4
57 5/16	United States Steel Common.	39¼	40⅞
146⅝	Do. Preferred	101¼	101
13 15/16	Brazilian Traction	11	11¼
18	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	12⅝	12⅝
11	Hydro. Electric	7⅞	8¼
13 13/16	International Pet. Canada. New	9¾	9¾
—	Silver Commercial Bars	29⅞	30¼
	BONDS.		
135¼	U.K. 5½% Bonds. 1937	93½	94¼
—	Do. Funding Loan 4%		
—	Do. War Loan 5%		
133 5/16	U.S. Treasury 3½% Bds. 1946-5	92	92 1/16
86 15/16	7% German External Loan	69	59½

SUPPLEMENTARY NEW YORK PRICES.

(SPECIAL REPORT.)

STOCKS	Tues	Mon
Air Reduction	53¾	51
Allied Chemical	67¼	69¼
American Super Power	3¾	3¾
American Tel. and Tel.	114	115⅞
American Tobacco "B"	77	78
American Waterworks	27¾	28¼
Brazil Stab. 6½ p.c., 1957	20	21
Case Threshing	35	36¼
Chrysler Corp.	13¼	13½
Drug Incorp.	52½	52¼
Du Pont	50¾	52¾
Eastman Kodak	80¾	82½
Electric Bond and Share	10¾	11¼
Electric Power and Light	11⅞	11
Gillette Safety Razor	12⅛	12½
Goodyear Tyre	17⅛	17½
International Harvester	26¼	25¾
International Tel. and Tel.	9⅜	9¾
Johns-Manville	19¼	20
Kennecott Copper	10¾	11⅜
Kreuger and Toll	7½	8⅛
Liggett and Myers "B"	53	56
Lambert Co.	50½	50½
McKeesport Tin	48	48
Montgomery Ward	8⅜	8½
National Biscuit	40	40⅞
National Cash Register	7⅝	7⅝
National Dairy Products	24	24
National Power and Light	13¾	15
North America Company	32½	33⅛
Paramount Publix	9	9¾
Public Service of New Jersey	51⅞	52½
Radio Corp. of America	7⅜	7⅝
Radio Keith Orpheum	5⅜	5⅜
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	38	38½
Royal Dutch	17¼	17⅝
Sears Roebuck	32¼	33¼
Standard Gas and Electric	28	28½
Standard Oil of N.	27	27¼
Union Carbide	30	30½
United Corp.	9	9
United Gas Improvement	19	19
Vanadium Corp.	14	14¼
Westinghouse Electric	25	26⅛
Woolworth	41¾	42¼

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

WHEAT steady, ⅛c. to ⅝c. cheaper.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Amber Durum, spot	—	—
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	—	—
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	78	78⅜
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	71⅛	71¾
No. 2 Red Winter, spot	70⅞	71½

RYE steady, ⅛c. dearer. No. 2, spot, 61⅛.

BARLEY steady, ⅛c. cheaper. American malting, c.i.f. New York, 55⅜.

MAIZE steady at ⅛c. reduction.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 Mixed, spot	48⅜	49⅜

COFFEE—

Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
To-day	5.76	5.91	6.01	6.10	—	6.23
Prev. day	5.77	5.90	6.00	6.10	—	6.20

SUGAR—The market closed steady, with futures 1 point to 2 points higher. Spot easy at 2 points fall; 96 test Centrifugal Cuban, local spot, 3.02. Approximate day's sales—Futures, 22,000 tons.

Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.	1933 Jan.
To-day	1.01	1.03	1.09	1.14	1.17	1.20	1.21
Prev day	1.00	1.02	1.07	1.12	1. 5	1.18	1.19

LARD barely steady at 20 points decline. Prime Western steam, 5.65; Middle West, 5.50 to 5.60.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears (100 per cent.), 4.20 to 4.60.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain (per quarter), 1/6 to 2/3.

Heavy grain to the Continent (per 100lb.), 5c. to 8c.

Cotton—High density to Great Britain (per 100lb.), 45c.

Cotton—Standard bales to Great Britain, 60c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Baume at Well	71 cents	71 cents
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

TALLOW barely steady, ⅛c. cheaper; spot, extra loose, 2⅞; spot, special extra, 2⅞; spot, in tierces, 3⅛.

COTTONSEED OIL—Futures steady at 3 to 4 points loss. Prime summer yellow, spot, 4.00. Closing options—March, 4.42; May, 4.54; July, 4.65; August, 4.67.

SHELLAC—T.N., 12½.

TURPENTINE—Spot, 38½; Savannah, spot, 33½.

METALS.—Straits Tin steady. Spot and near by New York, 22.25. Future option—March, 22.40. Lead steady; spot New York, 3.75; spot East St. Louis, 3.55. Pig Iron steady; Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. furnace Eastern Pennsylvania, 16.52; No. 2 plain, Buffalo (delivery Boston), 19.79. Copper—The U.S. Copper Export Association quotes copper c.i.f. Hamburg — Jan.-Feb.-March-April, 6.87½; May, 6.92½.

NATIONAL METAL EXCHANGE.

TIN easy. Closing options—May, 22.15; July, 22.55; Oct., 23.15. COPPER easy. Standard new contract—Closing options—March, 5.35; May, 5.55; Sept., 5.95.

COTTON (New York)—Spot quiet at 20 points loss; spot middling, 6.60. Cotton (New Orleans)—Spot declined 19 points; spot middling, 6.47.

RUBBER very quiet. First latex thin crepe spot, 4 13/16 buyers; smoked ribbed sheets spot, 4¼ buyers, 4 5/16 sellers.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

Wheat opened steady, with futures ⅛c. lower to ⅛c. higher. Recessions occurred owing to easier cable advices, coupled with a light export demand and a lack of aggressive support. Some scattered selling subsequently took place, while there were no noteworthy features in the news. The market closed barely steady, with futures ⅜c. down on the day. Opening options—May, 63¼; July, 64¾; Oct., 66⅛. Closing options—May, 63; July, 64⅜; Oct., 65⅝. Rye steady at ⅜c. decline. Closing options—May, 46⅝; July, 47¾; Oct. unquoted. Oats steady at ¼c. to ⅛c. reduction. Closing options—May, 32; July, 32; Oct. unquoted. Barley steady at ½c. to ¼c. fall. Closing options—May, 39½; July, 39¼; Oct. unquoted. Flaxseed steady. Closing options—May, 102½; July, 102½; Oct. unquoted.

Wheat-receipts (carlots).	To-day	Prev. day
No. 1 Northern	74	39
No. 2 Northern	247	176
No. 3 Northern	86	42
No. 4 Northern	21	20
Other grades	105	65
Total	533	342

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

Trading in all grains to-day was of a light character, and prices moved within narrow limits. The lack of outside interest, together with uncertainty regarding the situation in the Far East, had a depressing effect. Wheat values eased under local selling and owing to light support. Business ruled quiet, and prices moved lower on private reports indicating that the damage caused by the cold wave was negligible, while poor outside interest, coupled with news of milder weather in the winter wheat belt, constituted another bearish factor. Trading in maize futures was light, and prices declined on reports of favourable weather for the movement. Liquidation resulted in further losses, while selling by commission houses was inspired by the easiness of wheat. Rye and oats prices followed the movements in other grains.

WHEAT at the opening was steady, ⅛c. cheaper to ⅛c. dearer. The close was barely steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. down.

	To-day	Prev. day
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	—	59¼
No. 3 Hard Winter, spot	—	—

Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	57¼	60	60¼	61⅞
Prev. day	56¾	59⅛	59⅝	61⅛

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	56¾	59¼	59⅝	61⅛
Prev. day	57½	60	60⅜	61⅞

MAIZE opened steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. lower. The closing tendency was barely steady at ⅛c. to ⅜c. decline.

Futures—Opening options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	37⅝	40⅜	42⅝	43¾
Prev. day	37¾	40⅝	42½	43⅜

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	37¾	40⅝	42⅜	43⅝
Prev. day	38	40½	42¾	43⅞

OATS closed barely steady at ⅛c. to ½c. loss.

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July
To-day	—	25⅞	25⅜
Prev. day	—	26¼	25⅝

RYE finished barely steady, ⅜c. to ½c. lower. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	—	46⅜	47⅝	—
Prev. day	—	47	47⅞	48¾

PROVISIONS—Lard at the opening was steady. Poor buying power caused the market to decline, and the close was easy, with futures 12½ to 20 points down. Spot lost 20 points. Prime Western steam spot, 4.90.

LARD—Closing options

	Mar.	May	July	Sept.
To-day	5.07½	5.17½	5.35	5.45
Prev. day	5.20	5.37½	5.50	5.52½

BACON steady and unchanged. Short ribs sides (60lb. average), 5.87½.

HOGS steady, with light-weights — and heavy sorts 15 to 10 points lower. Light-weight, 4.05 to 4.25; heavy-weight, 3.60 to 3.75.

	To-day.	Same day last year.
Receipts—Chicago	27,000	34,000
" Western	114,000	128,000

HOCKEY.

WEEK-END CUP FIXTURES.

Irish Senior Cup—Naas v. Kingstown G.S. (replay).

Intermediate Cup—Dalkey 3rd v. Clery's Sports Club; Monkstown 2nd v. Civil Service 2nd; Three Rock Rovers 3rd v. Trinity 3rd; Railway 4th v. Clonliffe.

Minor Cup—Fairview 2nd v. Civil Service 3rd; St. Moibhi's College v. Trinity 4th; Pembroke Wanderers 4th v. St. James's Gate 2nd; Dalkey 4th v. Monkstown 3rd.

PEMBROKE WANDERERS H.C.

The following are the club fixtures for Saturday: —1st XI., match postponed; 2nd XI. v. Bray Rovers (Middle League), Serpentine avenue, 2 o'clock; 3rd XI. v. Y.M.C.A. 2nd (Intermediate League), Claremont road, 3 o'clock; 4th XI. v. St. James's Gate 2nd (Minor Cup), Serpentine avenue, 3.15.

LEINSTER UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION.

The dinner and social arranged for this evening will be held at the Red Bank Restaurant, D'Olier street. Dinner at 6.15 sharp.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Railway Union "A" v. Avoca School "A," Park avenue, 3.30.

Avoca School Juniors v. Monkstown Park, Blackrock, 3.0.

Mountjoy School (S.C.T.) v. St. Moibhi's College (S.C.T.), Clontarf, 3.15.

GIRLS' SENIOR SCHOOLS' CUP.

Masonic v. Muckross, Ballsbridge, 2.45.

Cabra v. Mercer's, Philipsburgh avenue, 3.15.

TEAMS.

Railway Union "A" (from) W. C. Leopold; J. H. Doran, J. J. Corscadden; T. Gilleran, L. Reid, T. Spearman; F. W. Olhausen, E. Ellis, V. G. Sully, W. R. Lambe, G. Fitch, W. Chiddick.

Avoca School "A"—G. V. Maher; F. C. O'Connor, J. H. Craig; T. D. Prentice, R. F. Browne (capt.), N. E. Stewart; J. E. Adamson, D. G. Harpur, B. M. Kennedy, A. H. Thompson, N. E. Andrews.

Avoca School Juniors—V. Swale; W. Kinghan, O. Fry; R. Parris, D. D. Beckett (capt.), W. Matheson; J. Mitchell, J. G. Henderson, R. Fry, J. Roberts, R. Matheson.

Mountjoy School S.C.T.—W. G. Levis; H. Dalton, H. A. Turner; C. T. Colton, S. W. Earle (capt.), M. C. Brough; K. P. Martin, F. G. Millar, R. L. Herbert, W. Brewster, R. Jones. Subs.:—J. A. Macoun, A. D. Moffett.

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Writing on this subject in the *Weekly Irish Times*, the Garden Correspondent says:—

Suggestions sent in to the Royal Horticultural Society (London), in its endeavour to substitute one more fitting for Helianthus tuberosus, miscalled Jerusalem Artichoke, being neither an Artichoke nor any connection with the Holy City, but never availed of, although its original pink nubbly form has never been popular in the small garden or with plotholders. The much superior white tuber is another story, and those growing it, if not appreciating it for home use, found our seedsmen glad to have it at a paying price. Long before the tuberous root was known in England, however, it was known to the North American red men; the Pilgrim Fathers who landed from the Mayflower on the inhospitable coast, first falling on their knees and then on the aborigines, found it in daily use, roasted in the wigwam fires. Master John Goodyer, in his diary, says:—"In Anno 1617 I received two small rootes thereof from Master Franqueville, of London, no bigger than hen's eggs. The one I planted, the other I gave to a friend. Mine gave me a peck of rootes, with which I stored Hampshire." In pleading for the cultivation of this useful root vegetable in its best form, the white-tubered variety, we do not ask for any of the best, or better, part of garden or plot, but any waste sunny corner, in which a little rough fertilising matter can now be deeply dug, and seed tubers planted promiscuously thirty inches apart, and this so soon as may be. Thus treated, the Sunroot makes an excellent screen, and when flowering, which it may do under early planting and a good summer, reveals its character as a genuine Sunflower.

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FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, February 3.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11 o'clock.—For Hearing. Appeal—Dunne, U.D.C. v. the Commissioner of Valuation. [illegible] for hearing:—Robert v. Redmond; [illegible] Greene (and cross-notice); Owens v. [illegible]

AN CLARATHOIR DON PHRIMH-BHREITHEAMH.
(The Registrar to the Chief Justice)

Before Mr. Webb, Assistant Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Mooney, minors v. Coleman, minors; Gill, minor v. Leavy, minor.

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—Mc[illegible] account, Lardner and Co. v. Pigott.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 5, at 11 o'clock, Admiralty. Case—McNamara v. S.S. "Hatteras" (at hearing).

In Court 6, at 11 o'clock, Summonses—Co. 1908, and Irish Glass Bottle Co., Ltd. v. Keogh (part heard). For Tuesday, 9th February, Action—White v. Ryan. For [illegible] 10th February, Action—Cummins v. [illegible] Tuesday, 16th February, Action [illegible] Points of Law)—Leggett v. Irish [illegible] Sailors' Land Trust.

TRIALS BY JURY.

In Court 1, at 11 o'clock, Jury—O'Neill v. Brady (crim. con.), at hearing. The Jurors are to attend this morning in Court 1 at 11 o'clock. In Court 3, at 11 o'clock, Jury—Healy v. D.U. Tram Co. (1896), Ltd. (personal injuries). The Unsworn Jurors are required this morning in Court 3 at 11 o'clock.

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock, Jury—Malley v. Gallagher and others (conspiracy), at hearing. Jurors sworn in the above case required to attend this morning in Court 4 at 11 o'clock. For Thursday, 4th February, Jury—Tealing (Mary) v. Electricity Supply Board; (James) v. same (personal injuries); to be heard together pursuant to order; Dewick v. Doogue; Campbell's Act; Doyle v. Leonard (injuries); Dolan v. Morrissey (personal injuries); Dolan v. Morrissey (personal injuries); Fay v. Fay (matrimonial); Rountree and another v. O'Reilly (personal injuries); Morgan v. Cowman (seduction); McDade v. Bray (personal injuries); Clarke v. Mahony, another (personal injuries); v. Jervis Street Charitable Infirmary; Brannagan and another v. Jervis Street Charitable Infirmary; Hamill v. Williams, Ltd. (personal injuries).

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock—Motions. Course. Summonses—Palmer v. Probert. McMahon; Webster v. Gethings; the Irish Free State Finance Co., Ltd. v. Bayley; the National Bank, Ltd., v. O'Brien; the Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd. v. Ryan; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., v. Williams; Doyle v. [illegible] v. Kenny; Doyle v. Hanlon; the Gaumont Co., [illegible] Atkinson v. Callen; Alfa-Laval Co., Ltd. v. Lynch; Smith v. McEntee; Talbot v. Cooney; Notice—Searight v. Walsh; Crawford v. Lemon.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-CHEASAIBHEACHTA.
(The Taxing Masters' Office.)

Master Denning at 11 o'clock—Feeney v. Fenton, Fenton, Lyons and Kyle; Higgins v. Fitzgerald and McCormack; Wigglesworth v. Controller of Industrial Property, M. A. [illegible]

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock—Fallon, Taxations—Kavanagh's Estate; R. A. Howe; E. McDonald, McDonald and Co.; Cobbe v. Moran; Donegal Board of Health v. Boyle; Ryley v. Ryley; Taaffe [illegible]

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiners' Office.)

Mr. Healy (Room 113), at 11 o'clock—Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Harris; Bank of Ireland, Ltd. v. W. R. Hague, decd., Kelly v. Roberts; National Bank, Ltd., v. McGann; Gilson v. [illegible]

Mr. Adderley (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Gethings, decd., Keely and Gethings; [illegible] v. Brown v. Prulet; W. G. Armstrong, decd., Hamilton v. Armstrong; F. O'Brien, decd., Dowling v. Owens; P. Connell, decd., Lister v. Robbins.

Mr. Greville (Room 110), at 11 o'clock—Hurley, decd., Scroope v. Hurley; P. O'Connell, decd., Hurley v. Carty; Longman v. Brett; Brett v. Brett; P. Halpin, decd., v. Halpin; M. Collins, decd., Liston v. [illegible] of Ireland v. Carty.

Mr. Crump (Room 106), at 11 o'clock—Re. Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—Re. Bank of Ireland Ltd. v. [illegible]

BANKRUPTCY.
(Before the Registrar.)

At 11 o'clock—Arrangement, Jr. sits, H. Lennon; Barry, vch, a/c Pearl and Dawson; Sherry C. J. Rutherford; Since, dc., Porter, Murphy; Co.; Connolly, vch, migse dc. Lynch, [illegible] Deering.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion square.
At 11 o'clock—Mr. Jeffrey [illegible] Cottingham (S. 4672), vouch; O'Grady (S. 1654), vouch.
Major A. K. MacDonald (S. 8457), vouch.
At 89 Merrion square.
Before Mr. Michael Dawson, at 11 o'clock—Nugent Humphreys v. Minister (S. 1428), discharge rulings to settle schedule.
Before Mr. De Courcy, at 11 o'clock—J. S. Peyton (S. 2858), discharge rulings to settle.

CIRCUIT (CRIMINAL) COURT.
Green street.

[illegible] attendance of jurors numbered 301 to 450, is required to attend, and [illegible] required to give their attendance between 10.30 and 11 o'clock by applying to the County Registrar. Jurors, numbered 1 to 300, [illegible] 8th February, 1932.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Shannon, at Four Courts, at 11 o'clock—King v. Gormley (motion for [illegible]); Ejectment—Nash v. D'Arcy. Civil Actions—Kelly v. Knox; Rock v. Leyland; Civil Birmingham [illegible] Traynor v. Callow; Tighe v. [illegible] Van Vliet; Walsh v. Wheeler, [illegible] Johannes Van Vliet; Walsh v. Wheeler. Before Judge Shannon, at Four Courts, at 11 o'clock—Rossmore, Recorder, Hamilton Actions—Worcester v. Probert and McMahon; Ashby v. Rave (ejectment); same v. same.

SHIPPING NEWS.
(FROM LLOYD'S.)

FOREIGN MOVEMENTS.

Treherbert, Sydney for Belfast, arrived Natal January 30, and left January 31.
Holsteinen, for Belfast, left Bremen January 30.
Abraham Rydberg, for Queenstown, left Fremantle January 31.
[illegible] for Queenstown, left [illegible] January 30.
Inishowen Head, from Mobile, arrived Bremen January 30.

HOME MOVEMENTS.

Cloncee, from Brest, arrived Swansea January 31.
Marena, from Galway, arrived Swansea January 30.
Oaktown, from Cork, arrived Swansea January 31.
Alyn, from Dublin, arrived Swansea January 31.
Princetown, Antwerp for Garston, called [illegible] January 31.
[illegible] from Dublin, arrived Newport January 31.
Jasmine, from Waterford, arrived Newport January 31.
Lonsdale, left for Dublin February 1.
Chanmoor, for Rouen, left Lianelly January 31.
Carrickmacross, for Foynes, left [illegible]
Walnut, for Belfast, left Liverpool February 1.
Portharrack, for Wexford, left Hull February 1.
Navigator, from Dublin, [illegible] January 31.
Tallayrand, from Dundalk, passed Dunnet Head February 1.
Sarpfos, Dublin for Oslo, passed Dunnet Head February 1.
Avonville, from Drogheda, passed Dunnet Head February 1.
Nessa, Antwerp for Londonderry, called Brixham February 1.

BRAY'S HOT BATHS.

The Bray Surveyor reported to the Acting Commissioner (Mr. A. J. Delaney) yesterday that the capital expenditure on the baths would amount to £2,851, while a further £200 to complete the eleven bathrooms, and £3,000 for the swimming pool, also a further loan of £1,000 to carry out the additions.